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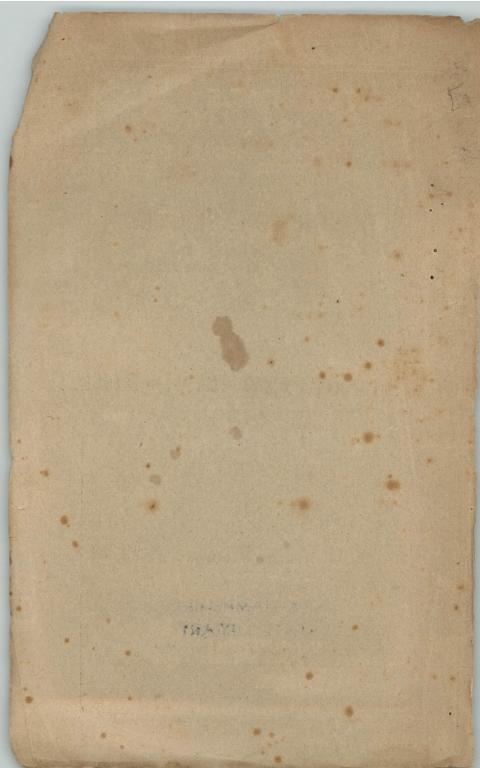
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WEDNESDAY, June 2, 1852.

This being the day prescribed by the Constitution for the Legislature of New Hampshire to assemble, the following persons, elected Senators, appearing, took and subscribed the oaths of office, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution:

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1-Hon. Alfred Hoitt;
From District No.
                    John S. Wells ;
                    John S. Shannon;
                    Asa Freeman;
                    Bradbury C. Tuttle;
                    Jacob Taylor;
                    Asahel H. Bennett;
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                    Alonzo B. Williamson;
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                    Thomas Merrill;
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                    James M. Rix.
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The Senate was called to order by the Clerk of last year. On motion of Mr. Taylor—

Hon. Mr. Shannon was chosen chairman to preside until a President shall be chosen.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

The Senate proceeded by ballot to the choice of President.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote as follows:

Whole number of votes cast,	9
Necessary for a choice,	5
Hon. John S. Wells has	a

and Hon. John S. Wells was accordingly declared unanimously elected President.

Mr. Wells, upon taking the chair, addressed the Senate as follows:

Senators: In selecting me again to preside over this branch of the Legislature, you have, in a manner most grateful to my feelings, signified no less your approval of my former efforts in the discharge of the duties of this office, than your continued confidence that the obligations devolving upon me will be faithfully performed, and the rights and privileges of individual members of the Senate fairly and impartially observed. It will be my pleasure to merit the confidence you have so freely extended; and I pledge you my best efforts to the faithful performance of the duties assigned me. My position at the last session of the Senate was rendered pleasant and agreeable by the uniformly kind and courteous action of the members; and from the ability and high standing of those of the present Senate, I feel assured that I shall be generously sustained in performing the duties of the chair.

We come here under the sanction of the Constitution of our State, to unite with the other branches of the government, to remedy existing public evils, if any, and to make such laws as the public good may require. The authority is broad and the responsibility great. What one class of persons will pronounce as wise and judicious legislation, another will condemn as unjust and oppressive. Grants and restrictions, inefficient legislation, and severely penal laws, may be alike approved or condemned, as the interest or judgment of many may determine. When, therefore, all our proceedings are to be thus thoroughly reviewed, it becomes the legislator carefully to examine every proposition which may be presented, to determine, if possible, its practical operation and general influence, before he declares his vote.

Though we may entertain different views as to the justness or expediency of many measures which may be proposed, I have no doubt that whatever ability or legislative experience we may possess, will be freely and efficiently rendered, to promote the interests of our constituents; and if diversity of opinion shall exist in regard to those measures which may be approved by this branch of the Legislature, I hope and trust that the judgment of the majority may be so directed as to secure the approval of those to whom we are responsible.

Senators—We meet here to some extent as strangers. We come, hoping to do something to advance the general welfare. Our stay will undoubtedly be short, but I trust that our official intercourse will be of that agreeable character which will result in warm and lasting friendships.

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

The Senate proceeded by ballot to the choice of Clerk.

On the first balloting the President announced the state of the vote as follows:

Whole number of votes cast,	9
Necessary for a choice,	5
WILLIAM L. FOSTER has	9
and William L. Foster was accordingly declared	elected
Clerk.	

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

The Senate proceeded by ballot to the choice of Assistant Clerk.

On the first balloting the President announced the state of the vote as follows:

Whole number of votes cast,	9
Necessary for a choice,	5
George C. Williams has	9
nd George C. Williams was accordingly declared	elected

Assistant Clerk.

The President then administered the oath of office to the Clerk and Assistant Clerk, and they entered upon the discharge of the duties of their respective offices.

On motion of Mr. Shannon -

Resolved, That the Senate now proceed to the election of Doorkeeper of the Senate the present year.

On the nomination of Mr. Shannon, the Senate made

choice of Enoch Q. Fellows as Doorkeeper of the Senate for the present year.

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

Resolved, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives that the Senate have assembled, have chosen Hon. John S. Wells, President, William L. Foster, Clerk, and George C. Williams, Assistant Clerk, and are now ready to proceed to the business of the session.

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate for the year 1851 be adopted as the rules of the present session, until otherwise ordered.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be requested to lay before the Senate the record of the returns of votes given for Senators in the several senatorial districts in this State, in March last.

The Secretary of State came in and laid before the Senate the returns of votes given at the election in March last for Senators in the several senatorial districts in this State.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the returns of votes in the several senatorial districts be referred to a select committee of three, with instructions to examine and count the same, and report to the Senate whether any vacancies exist, and if so, in what senatorial districts, and who are the constitutional candidates therein.

Ordered, That Messrs. Freeman, Tuttle and Merrill be said committee.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-I am directed to inform the Honorable

Senate that the House of Representatives have assembled, and organized by choosing Hon. George W. Kittredge, Speaker, Thomas J. Whipple, Clerk, and E. A. Hibbard, Assistant Clerk, and are ready to proceed to the business of the session."

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Bennett of Manchester, Noyes of Atkinson, Folsom of Dover, Chase of Conway, Tennant of Allenstown, Gove of Weare, Haile of Hinsdale, Silsby of Acworth, Carbee of Bath, Rix of Dalton a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him that a quorum of both branches of the Legislature have assembled, are organized, and ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid joint select committee to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the organization of the Legislature.

Ordered, That Messrs. Taylor and Williamson be joined

to said committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives are ready to meet the Honorable Senate in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution."

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have ap-

pointed Messrs. Wheeler of Newport, Hackett of Portsmouth and Sargent of Wentworth a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to prepare and report joint rules for the government of the two branches of the Legislature the present session, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid committee, to prepare and report joint rules for the government of the two branches of the Legislature the present session.

Ordered, That Mr. Rix be joined to said committee on

the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have adopted the joint rules of the two branches of the Legislature for the year 1851, as the joint rules of the two houses for the present year, until otherwise ordered, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, 'That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the joint rules of the two branches of the Legislature for the year 1851, as the joint rules of the two houses for the present session, until otherwise ordered.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Freeman, from the select committe to whom were referred the returns of votes for Senators in the several senatorial districts, by leave, reported that they had attended to the duty assigned them, and from an examination of the returns made to the office of the Secretary of State, in compliance with the provisions of the Constitution, it appears that there is no election of Senators in senatorial districts Nos. 3 and 7.

In No. 3, it appears that the whole number of votes cast 6056

3029

Necessary for a choice, and no person having that number, there is no choice. The two highest candidates are Daniel Clark and Peter P. Woodbury.

In No. 7, it appears that the whole number of votes cast
4469

Necessary for a choice, and no person having that number, there is no choice. The two highest candidates are Edmund Parker and Bernard B. Whittemore.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the Clerk inform the House of Representatives that vacancies exist in senatorial districts Nos. 3 and 7, and that Peter P. Woodbury and Daniel Clark are the two highest candidates in District No. 3, and that Bernard B. Whittemore and Edmund Parker are the two highest candidates in District No. 7.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the Senate now meet the House of Representatives in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, the Secretary of State came in and laid before the convention the returns of votes in the several towns and places in this State for Governor and Councillors.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, of the House-Resolved, That the returns of votes for Governor from the several towns and places in this State be referred to a committee, with instructions to open and record the same, to compare and cast their numbers, and report thereon.

Ordered, That Messrs. Rix of the Senate, Sargent of Wentworth and J. H. Wiggin of Dover, of the House, be

said committee.

On motion of Mr. Knowlton of Hopkinton, of the House— Resolved, That the returns of votes for Councillors from

the several towns and places in this State be referred to a committee, with instructions to open and record the same, to compare and cast their numbers, and report thereon.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hoitt of the Senate, Knowlton of Hopkinton and Weeks of Canaan, of the House, be said

committee.

Mr. Grey of Manchester, of the House, presented the fol-

lowing resolution:

Resolved, That the votes cast at the last March election upon the proposed amendments to the Constitution, be referred to a committee, to open and record the same, to compare and cast their numbers, and report thereon.

On motion of Mr. Chamberlain of Keene, of the House-

Resolved, That said resolution lie on the table.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway, of the House-

Resolved, That the convention now proceed by ballot to the choice of Senator to fill the vacancy existing in senatorial district No. 3.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote as follows:

The whole number of votes cast is	270
Necessary for a choice,	136
Daniel Clark has	104
PETER P. WOODBURY has	166

-and Peter P. Woodbury was accordingly declared elected Senator to fill the vacancy in senatorial district No. 3.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggin of Dover, of the House-Resolved, That the convention now proceed by ballot to the choice of Senator to fill the vacancy existing in senatorial district No. 7.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote as follows:

The whole number of votes cast is	260
Necessary for a choice,	131
Edmund Parker has	99
BERNARD B. WHITTEMORE has	161

-and Bernard B. Whittemore was accordingly declared elected Senator to fill the vacancy in senatorial district No. 7.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan, of the House-

The convention rose, whereupon the Senate returned to their chamber.

IN SENATE.

Mr. Shannon submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be requested to notify the Hon. Peter P. Woodbury of his election as Senator from senatorial district No. 3, and the Hon. Bernard B. Whittemore of his election as Senator from senatorial district No. 7.

On the question,
Shall the foregoing resolution pass?
It was decided in the affirmative.
So the resolution passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the Secretary of State thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to procure fifteen copies of the Daily Patriot and fifteen copies of the Daily Statesman, during the present session, for the use of the Senate.

On motion of Mr. Freeman—
The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 3, 1852.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives are ready to meet the Honorable Senate in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution."

Mr. Taylor, from the joint select committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the organization of the Legislature, by leave, reported that said committee had attended to the duty assigned them, and that His Excellency has at present no official communication to make.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That a committee be appointed on the part of the Senate, with such as the House of Representatives may join, to wait upon the Hon. Peter P. Woodbury, and the Hon. Bernard B. Whittemore, Senators elect from Senatorial Districts numbers 3 and 7, and inform them of their elections respectively.

Ordered, That Mr. Freeman be said committee on the

part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the Senate now meet the House of Representatives for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention, in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution-

Mr. Rix, of the Senate, from the committee to whom was referred the votes for Governor, by leave, made the following

REPORT .

The committee to whom were referred the votes for Governor, report that they have examined the same, cast their numbers, and find the result as follows:

The selection of the se	
The whole number of votes cast, is	60,405
Necessary for a choice,	
Estimated as seettering	30,203
Estimated as scattering,	269
John Atwood has	
Thomas E. Sawyer has	9,479
I homas E. Sawyer has	19,850
Noah Martin has	
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-and Noah Martin having a majority of all the votes cast, is elected Governor of the State of New Hampshire for the year ensuing.

Ninety votes returned from Campton, one hundred and

seven from Rye, and two from Carroll, for Thomas Sawyer, are included among the scattering votes. No vote from Kensington or Lincoln.

JAMES M. RIX, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggin of Dover, of the House— Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

Mr. Hoitt of the Senate, from the committee to whom were referred the returns of the votes given for Councillors in the several Councillor Districts in this State in March last,

by leave, made the following report:

The select committee appointed to open and record the votes for Councillors, to compare and cast their numbers and report thereon, have attended to the duty assigned them, and instructed me to make the following report.

ALFRED HOITT, for the committee.

District No. 1.

The whole number of votes returned, is	13,258
Necessary for a choice,	6,630
Estimated as scattering,	111
John Dow has	6,459
Moses Eaton, Jr., has	6,688
and is elected.	

District No. 2.

The whole number of votes returned, is	12,951
Necessary for a choice,	6,476
Estimated as scattering,	an one of
John L. Perley has	1,661
Calvin Whitten has	4,508
Joseph H. Smith has	6,781
—and is elected.	

District No. 3.

The whole number of votes returned, is	14,205
Necessary for a choice,	7,103
Estimated as scattering,	23
George Poor has	2,778

Benjamin M. Farley has	4,548
Samuel Butterfield has	6,856
-and there is no choice-Samuel Butterfield	and Benjamin
M. Farley being the two highest candidates.	Range of the party

District No. 4.

The whole number of votes returned, is	9,280
Necessary for a choice,	4,641
Estimated as scattering,	1
George Huntington has	4,343
JAMES BATCHELLER has	4,936
and is elected.	

District No. 5.

The whole number of votes returned, is	10,243
Necessary for a choice,	5,122
Estimated as scattering,	4
John H. White has	1,326
Moses K. Webster has	2,865
Russell Cox has	6,048
—and is elected.	menta order

On motion of Mr. Freeman, of the Senate-Resolved, That the foregoring report be accepted. On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan, of the House-

Resolved, That the Convention now proceed to the choice, by ballot, of a Councillor, to fill the vacancy existing in the Councillor District No. 3.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote, as follows:

The whole number of votes cast, is	269
Necessary for a choice,	135
Benjamin M. Farley has	103
Samuel Butterfield has	163

-and Samuel Butterfield was accordingly declared constitutionally elected Councillor for Councillor District No. 3.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggin of Dover, of the House-The Convention rose, whereupon the Senate returned to their chamber.

IN SENATE.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Moses of Portsmouth, Faulkner of Keene and Eayrs of Merrimack, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to assign committee rooms to the several committees, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid committee to assign committee rooms to the several committees.

Ordered, That Mr. Shannon be joined to said committee

on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the election of Hon. Peter P. Woodbury as Senator for Senatorial District No. 3, and Hon. Bernard B. Whittemore as Senator for Senatorial District No. 7.

Ordered, That Messrs. Williamson, Tuttle and Bennett

be said committee.

- The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in the appointment of a committee to wait upon Hon. Peter P. Woodbury and Hon. Bernard B. Whittemore, Senators elect from Senatorial Districts Nos. 3 and 7, and inform them of their election, and have on their part joined Messrs. Chase of Conway and Thompson of Haverhill."

Mr. Williamson, from the committee appointed to wait

upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the election of Hon. Peter P. Woodbury as Senator for Senatorial District No. 3, and of the election of Hon. Bernard B. Whittemore as Senator for Senatorial District No. 7, by leave reported that said committee had attended to the duty assigned them.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Stanley of Hopkinton, Plumer of Epping, Walker of Farmington, Jenkins of Barnstead, Parrish of Albany, Piper of Franklin, Gove of Weare, Carlton of Chesterfield, Jones of Washington and Gibb of Carroll, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon Hon. Noah Martin, Governor elect, and inform him of his election as Governor of this State for the ensuing political year, and that the Legislature are ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid joint select committee to wait upon Hon. Noah Martin, Governor elect, and inform him of his election, and that the Legislature will be ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make.

Ordered, That Messrs. Rix and Merrill be joined to said

committee on the part of the Senate.

Mr. Freeman, from the committee appointed to notify Hon. Peter P. Woodbury of his election as Senator for Senatorial District No. 3, and Hon. Bernard B. Whittemore of his election as Senator for Senatorial District No. 7, by leave reported that said committee had attended to the duties assigned them, and those gentlemen had severally signified their acceptance of their respective offices.

Hon. Peter P. Woodbury having been duly elected in convention as Senator for District No. 3, and Hon. Bernard B. Whittemore having been duly elected in convention as Senator for District No. 7, (both gentlemen having been duly qualified,) were introduced by the Secretary of State

and took their seats in the Senate.

Mr. Rix, from the joint select committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency Noah Martin, Governor elect, and inform him of his election to the office of Governor of the State of New Hampshire for the ensuing political year, and that the Legislature are ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make, by leave reported that the said committee had attended to the duty assigned them, and that His Excellency signified his acceptance of the office, and replied that he would meet the Legislature in the Representatives' Hall this afternoon at three o'clock, to take and subscribe the oaths prescribed by the Constitution.

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed the select committee of ten who were instructed to wait upon Hon. Noah Martin, Governor elect, and inform him of his election, a committee on their part, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon the Governor elect and conduct him to the Representatives' Hall, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the foregoing committee to wait upon His Excellency the Governor elect, and conduct him to the Representatives' Hall?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hoitt and Shannon be joined tosaid committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives are ready to meet the Honorable Senate in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution."

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the Senate now meet the House of Representatives in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, His Excellency Noah Martin, Governor elect, came in, attended by the Honorable Council, and escorted by the joint select committee of the two branches of the Legislature, and manifested his acceptance of the office of Governor of this State. He then took and subscribed the oaths of allegiance and the oath of office before the President of the Senate, and in the presence of both branches of the Legislature, whereupon Hon. John S. Wells, President of the Senate, made proclamation as follows:

"Noah Martin having been duly elected Governor of the State of New Hampshire, accepted the office, and taken the oaths prescribed by the Constitution, I do therefore declare that His Excellency Noah Martin is Governor of the State of New Hampshire, to hold the office during the ensuing

political year.

And I here present your Excellency a copy of the Constitution of this State, as your guide in the discharge of your official duties."

His Excellency then made the following

ADDRESS:

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives:

I am happy to meet you, by the appointment of the Constitution, in this house dedicated to free legislation. We are here clothed with the high and the honorable powers of legislators, conferred upon us by the free suffrages of the intelligent and sovereign people of the State. They have conferred these powers upon us in the full confidence that we shall be faithful public servants, conform to their wishes, guard their rights and promote their interests. In entering upon the duties before us, we should not be unmindful of their solemn and responsible importance; and that our temporary guardianship of the various interests of the State committed to our care, will either tend to their honorable and lasting promotion or the reverse.

Profoundly grateful to the people of the State for the bestowal of their confidence in electing me to the position I now occupy, and deeply impressed with the obligations my new relations impose, it will ever be my most anxious desire to consult, on all occasions, the sentiments and interests of those we conjointly represent; and it will ever afford me the greatest pleasure to unite with you in all such measures as will have the greatest tendency to promote their prosper-

ity and ensure their happiness.

When we reflect that we are in the seats of distinguished predecessors, whose enlightened legislation, and liberal, though economical policy, have reared the State from infantile weakness to manly maturity, and see around us the monuments of social, civil and industrial progression, the fruits of their wise forecast and prudent administration, all without an oppressive State debt, well may we distrust our abilities to fill our stations as they have been filled, or to sustain in onward progress the civil structure so auspiciously erected. Thankful, indeed, should we be for such predecessors; grateful for the example and perfected inheritance their patriotism and labors have bestowed, and solicitous may we be not to mar the symmetry or deform the beauty of the heritage by uncalled for or immature legislation.

Under our forms, legislation is merely the collecting of public opinion, and uttering it, with the solemn sanction of the people's voice, through their assembled representatives. The Legislature that does this the most completely, best subserves the objects of its election. To transcend this, however slightly, is direct usurpation. For all rightful government emanates from and has its foundation in the will

of the people.

Uncertainty of interpretation is a complaint not unfrequently made against our legislative enactments. enactments are to guide and control in the pursuit, possession and enjoyment of rights, and in the redress of grievances to persons and property. They are promulgated through our public journals, that all may read and comprehend them; and in our courts of justice, ignorance of the law excuses no one. Hence the importance that our laws should be expressed in language clear, simple and concise, that they may be readily understood by all capacities.

Frequently modifying or changing the laws is an evil that should be avoided in all instances, unless some positive, countervailing good can clearly be demonstrated as likely to

result from the innovation.

I cannot refrain, on this occasion, from congratulating you, and your constituents through you, upon the happy and prosperous condition of the State. Our little State, fortunate at every period of her history, was never more so in all her relations than at the present moment; and although we cannot boast of as great an extent of territory, as fertile and as easily cultivated a soil, as bland and temperate a climate, as extensive and splendid public works, or as expensive internal improvements as some of the more favored by nature and more wealthy States of this Union, yet we have abundant reason for the most heartfelt gratitude to the Giver of all good, for the health and plenty, the peace and happiness, the enterprise and progress that everywhere abound; for our unsurpassed religious, literary and intellectual advantages; for the industry, economy and moral tendencies of our population, and for the favoring circumstances which surround us, for the growth of intelligence, virtue, and the love of liberty. Inured to industry through force of circumstances, inclined to economy by necessity and the example of our fathers, and inspired with the sentiments of morality

and liberty by our maternal teachings, habit, inclination, wisdom, all conspire to form a character of distinct traits and high usefulness, of inflexible determination and unvielding perseverance, of strong and resolute will and exalted aspirations, firm in morals as unchanging in purpose, fitted for the struggles of life in any position, country or clime. Such are the human productions of our Granite State; educated to toil and self-dependence from childhood, full of self-protection, enterprise and substantial thrift in manhood, and warmed by the sentiments of religion and

patriotism in old age.

Agriculture, the parent art, is more prosperous at the present time than it has been at any former period. The attention of the agriculturist, within a few years past, has been more particularly directed to the importance of his profession, his position and his advantages, and the rich results which the resources of science, combined with his own practical experience, will throw into the lap of husbandry, have become distinctly apparent to his mind. Scientific agricultural research is showing him the constitution and nature of his soil; the adaptation of certain soils to particular vegetable growths; the constituent principles of vegetables; the elements of manures congenial to their growth; the nutrient materials which constitute animal development, and the rules under which the greatest perfection may be attained in both animal and vegetable productions. The implements of husbandry have been astonishingly improved, and the process of culture rendered easy and productive in a proportionate degree.

Among the various duties of the legislator, no one stands more prominently forth, or more justly demands his attention and fostering care, than education. Intelligence generally diffused is the very basis of our form of government. Self-government, well regulated, rational freedom, cannot exist without that knowledge which leads to the discovery of rights, their appreciation, and a determination to defend them. Ignorance is the bane of religion and morals, as well

as free government.

Our common school system seems to be wisely adapted to our wants, and in beautiful harmony with the principles of our government. The commingling of scholars of every grade, without reference to the standing of their parents, their prospective wealth, or any of the contingencies of society, at an early period of life, and all subjected to the same sway and discipline without favoritism or partiality, are admirably calculated to foster the principles of equality and obedience to salutary rule, and to implant the truth that no preëminence is to be acknowledged but that of intellectual attainment and rectitude of conduct. These are elements essential to the development and maturity of young republicans, and the more perfect the system is made in all the rudimental, scientific training, necessary to the various industrial pursuits of life, the more vigorous, substantial and enduring will be our institutions, and the more happiness and prosperity will be diffused among our whole people.

The range of instruction in our Common Schools I think might be a little enlarged with great benefit to the instructed. The introduction of elementary works upon the sciences of agricultural chemistry and physiology generally, I think would not extend the studies unduly, and could not fail to be of incalculable advantage, especially to those pupils who in after life are to devote themselves to rural pursuits, and who have not the means to avail themselves of the advantages of higher Schools for their attainment. The instruction which imparts that knowledge, which, when applied, tends directly to multiply the necessaries of life, needs no argument to substantiate its utility, and particularly in a State like ours, where husbandry is, and must continue to be, the preponderating interest. In fact, agriculture gives commerce and manufactures, and all combined give vitality, progress and prosperity to the mechanic arts; therefore, whatever is done to aid the agriculturist to increase his power of production, contributes essentially to the advancement of all the other industrial pursuits. Agricultural chemistry proposes to unfold to the farmer the very elements of which all his products are composed, and to teach him the manner of managing and applying his resources, so as to produce the most abundant and the most perfect returns for his outlay and his efforts. Physiology imparts a knowledge of the various organs of the human structure, their healthful action, their wonderful and harmonious cooperation in carrying forward and sustaining all the purposes of organic life.

We deem it essential to teach our children the external

world, the objects it presents, their names, natures and relations as far as they can be ascertained and comprehended. This is conceded to be necessary to their mental development and their prospective usefulness and happiness; and is it not equally essential that they should be taught a knowledge of themselves, of those organs through which they receive the impressions of external objects, the sources of thought, the home of judgment, the combinations of sense and intellect, and the conditions upon which they may continue to perform all those functions on which depend the enjoyment, progress and refinements of life? Surely it is, and we cannot be too early or too diligent in imparting such knowledge. Nine-tenths of our population receive the sum of their school education at our Common Schools; they therefore should be elevated to that standard of instruction which will impart all the scientific knowledge necessary in the ordinary walks of business life, and lay the foundation, if taste, means and exertion concur, of an extended education.

The Board of Education, so far as their operations have come to my knowledge, through their reports and otherwise, are doing all in their power to improve and elevate the Common Schools of the State. They assuredly have brought to the cause an amount of talent, acquirement and zeal, which, if judiciously and continuously exerted and coöperated with by superintending and prudential committees, parents and the friends of common school education throughout the State, cannot fail to produce much immediate and great ultimate good. No system can show its beneficial and entire results at once; time is required to develop its adaptation and capabilities.

No State can ever languish and retrograde in population, morals or wealth, when her agricultural interest is prosperous, and her educational advantages are free, ample and accessible to all. Agricultural prosperity, knowledge and virtue are the sustaining pillars of a republican government, and should be cultivated and sustained by every friend of

freedom.

I would suggest for your consideration the propriety of raising more money than heretofore for the support of our Common Schools—and also the institution of an agricultu-

ral commission, for the benefit of that great department of

our industry.

The indebtedness of the State, June, 1851, was \$76,790 86, which I am happy to say has been diminished more than ten thousand dollars during the year, leaving the State debt at the present time about \$66,000. This is a creditable reduction, and if continued at the same rate for a few years, will liquidate the whole, without a resort to extraordinary taxation.

Prudence and economy in the affairs of the State are as essential to financial prosperity as they are indispensable to success in individual transactions; and the same considerations which would induce a private individual to avail himself of every reasonable resource to augment his means for the discharge of his liabilities, should operate with equal force upon the guardians of the public treasury under like circumstances.

The example of those who have preceded us, our State debt, and the watchful eye of the people, should all operate to induce great circumspection in expenditures. A brief session, with as little legislation as the public wants demand, will probably meet the approbation of our constituents.

The Asylum for the Insane is in a prosperous condition, and fulfilling the great and humane objects of its design, in a manner most satisfactory to its friends, and honorable to the State. The Institution in all its departments seems to have arrived at a state of perfection which renders it capable of dispensing all the advantages to the insane attainable in any similar retreat in this country, or perhaps in Eu-The buildings are spacious, well constructed, well ventilated, well finished and furnished, ample for the accommodation of the patients and attendants, and embrace all those peculiar conveniences indispensable to an establishment of the kind. It is now established by appropriations from the State Treasury and individual munificence, upon a self-sustaining footing, and will not hereafter look to the Legislature for any aid, other than that indirect aid, usual annually, an appropriation for the benefit of the indigent insane. It must be a matter of grateful reflection to every citizen of the State, that we have within our own borders an asylum to which we can retreat, and consign our friends,

in case of that greatest calamity incident to our nature, unsettled intellect; where all the advantages of curative treatment can be obtained under the mildest restraint, and most humane discipline—where all the resources of science, experience and moral tact, attainable in such cases, will be brought to bear with enlightened skill, the utmost fidelity and gentleness.

The affairs of the State Prison, I feel authorized in saying, were never in a more satisfactory condition. Its financial prosperity, the present year, fully equals that of the past; while its discipline is maintained with such mildness and vigor as renders it reformatory and effective. The convicts are healthy, wear a cheerful aspect, and enjoy life as well as it can be enjoyed, under the necessary restraints of confine-

ment to hard labor for the commission of crime.

A new work-shop has been erected during the year with the avails of the land sale authorized by the last Legislature, and another is much needed, and would, it is thought, subserve the interest of the State, as well as add much to the perfection of the establishment. The south wing of the Prison, which is now occupied as a store-house, might be re-modeled, and converted into a work-shop or an abode for the accommodation of female convicts, for which latter purpose some new arrangement is much needed. Several female convicts are now from necessity kept in the family of the Warden, because no suitable arrangement can be made for them within the Prison.

Corporations in this State, as well as in some of the sister States, within a few years, have been greatly extended. They have apparently outrun business demands and means, and in some instances at least, have convinced stockholders of the impolicy of their projection, and their entire inadequacy to make such returns as were anticipated at the time of investment. Legislatures are subject to extremes as well as individuals, and sooner or later both will learn, by impressive experience, the reactive force of premature enterprises. In granting corporate powers, the public demand for the particular kind of business facilities sought, should be more particularly looked at, and influence, rather than the urgent importunity of interested individuals, or the rivalry of competing parties; and the local interests to be affected either by promotion, competition or otherwise, should be carefully taken

into account, and the decision should be governed by general principles, rather than special considerations. One line of railroad through a particular district may be a great public convenience; tend to develop wealth, foster enterprise, remunerate shareholders, and promote all the essential interests of society; while two within competing distance may be worse than none. Competition, to a certain extent, is highly useful; it regulates prices, stimulates skill, induces economy and subserves the public good; but carry it further, and it leads to recklessness, insecurity, individual loss and public injury. I would respectfully suggest, whether the time has not arrived when it would be well for us to pause and consider our corporate interests and their tendencies, that in any future action upon the subject of their augmentation, we may be guided by the impartial light of mature experience.

The Judiciary has so recently passed under revision and modification, that sufficient time has not elapsed to test by the most unerring guide in all practical matters, experience, the suitableness and the effective power of the present arrangement to meet the wants of the community and to fulfil the declaration in our Bill of Rights, that "every citizen of this State is entitled to a certain remedy, by having recourse to the laws for injuries he may receive in his person, property and character; to obtain right and justice freely, without being obliged to purchase it; completely, and without denial; promptly, and without delay, conformably to the laws." I trust the present system will accomplish all this, and if it does, it will add much to the peace and happiness of the community, by the speedy rendering of justice.

Our military code has been recently so modified, under the auspices of my immediate and distinguished predecessor, as to do away with all the active service of the militia of the State. This may be the best way of maintaining that effective military force so highly valued by our fathers, and of verifying the declaration in the Bill of Rights, that "a well regulated militia is the proper, natural and sure defence of a State." Without dissenting from the policy, I can but express my regret that the military spirit of our fathers should have so far languished in their sons, as apparenty to invite such legislation.

I observed, with sentiments of cordial approval, the meas-

ures taken by the last Legislature to procure facts and other data, preliminary to the establishment of a "State Reform School for the employment, instruction and reform of juvenile offenders." That such an institution is needed in the State, and would be productive of vast benefit to the class of offenders for whom its advantages are designed, and to the community also, I think no one can doubt, who has given the subject a little attention. The welfare of society is deeply involved in the question of the most effectual mode of restraining vice, and preventing the commission of crime, and as the principles of humanity gain the ascendency over the sentiments of revenge in the infliction of punishment for the commission of crime, the milder and more reformatory measures in the treatment of criminals, must occupy the attention of legislators, and ultimately supplant the severe and sanguinary. It will readily occur to those who have given but slight attention, even, to the nature of the crimes which disturb society, and to the character of the criminals, that the greater portion of them originate from early moral debasement, by the contamination of youth through ignorance, idleness and vicious associates; and that in our present mode of penal infliction, the youthful offender is more likely to be confirmed in his criminal ways, and made a greater proficient in the commission of offences, than to become reformed. In our jails he meets with older, more hardened and greater adepts in villainy than himself, who are ever ready to impart their lessons in crime, enforced with the resentful promptings of revenge incident to detection and incarceration; and if he is condemned to a period of service in our State Prison, he comes out with the indelible brand of infamy upon him, and a character formed in most instances, defiant to all reformatory influences. posed Reform School meets this preventive principle, by removing the juvenile offenders from the influence of their depraved associates and counsellors, and placing them under the redeeming power of education, healthful occupation, moral and religious teachings.

The distinctive and most sacred right of a freeman is the voluntary and uncontrolled right of suffrage. Without it in its purity and unrestrained exercise, there can be no free government, no independent, individual right of choice in the selection of those to whom is delegated the power of

making and establishing laws to which all are amenable. It is the grand leveller of all conditions; it places all upon the same footing, and gives to each man the same power, weight and influence at the ballot box, because he is man, disregarding all the adventitious circumstances and accidents of social position. It is the illustration of the memorable declaration in our Bill of Rights: "That all men are born equally free and independent;" hence the importance of its being so guarded that no infringement can or will be likely The poor man has a greater interest in its unrestrained preservation than the rich, because it is his greatest right, and the most essential political inheritance he can transmit to his son, through the exercise of which that son may be elevated to the various stations in political life; whereas the man of wealth has fortune at his command by which he may materially aid his offspring to attain the same elevations, if the suffrage is suffered to be corrupted. Purity of the elective franchise underlies the whole of our governmental structure; vitiate or pervert it, and the taint pervades the whole, destroying its vitality and paralyzing even its forms. Is the right of suffrage sufficiently guarded in all localities in the State? Would any additional legislation tend more completely to carry out the intention of our fathers in its establishment? Of this you will judge, in your wisdom.

The term of service of one of our Senators in Congress will expire on the 4th of March next, and the choice of his successor is one of the duties of this Legislature.

Under the new apportionment of Representatives to Congress, New Hampshire is entitled to choose three, only; it will therefore devolve on you to re-district the State, for the choice of Representatives to Congress.

The first volume of the new series of New Hampshire Reports, contemplated by the act of 1850, establishing the office of State Reporter, which has been unavoidably delayed up to the present time, will appear in the course of the present month, and the second volume will be issued by the first of November next.

The subject of temperance reform has occupied an engrossing position in the public mind in this State, for a few months past. The ardor of its friends has been ceaseless and almost unbounded, and their sentiments have found em-

bodiment in a project of law nearly identical with that celebrated enactment of the Legislature of the State of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops." In its provisions its advocates assert, the remedies are found, for most, if not all, the ills which originate from intemperance, and afflict society; which cast their shadows so lengthily and so gloomily over the abodes of domestic prosperity and happiness, blighting and destroying; while the opponents of the measure fear its stringency, deem it tyrannical, and deny its constitutionality. The subject will undoubtedly be before you, and will claim your careful, candid and deliberate action. You, gentlemen, are the conservators of the public morals, individual rights and interests for the time being, under the guidance of your constituents; and having come directly from their midst, will understand their wants and regard their wishes; and I doubt not that wisdom, sound discretion and high sense of the public good which have usually characterized the legislators of New Hampshire, will guide you in your conclusions.

The liberation of the illustrious Kossuth, and his advent upon our shores, are great events in the world's history. The apostle of European liberty, after achieving the emancipation of his own Hungary, in defiance of Austrian force and falsehood, and expelling every invading foot from his native soil, was borne down by Russian cohorts, and driven into exile. His unsurpassed and almost superhuman exertions for the liberation of his down-trodden country, were watched with intense interest, and with the most ardent hope for their permanent success, by the friends of freedom everywhere, and especially in this country; and when Austrian intrigue and bayonets failed, one universal thrill of exultation pervaded the American bosom; when Russian intervention and treason came, a gloom as universal saddened the American heart; and the national watchfulness followed the vanquished patriot into his exile and imprisonment in an in-His liberation was sought and effected, and he was borne by one of our national ships, under the protection of our glorious stars and stripes, from Asiatic bondage. came here, not to seek a home, but to thank the government and the nation for their interest in his cause and his personal liberty, and to plead the cause of his crushed and bleeding

country to republican America; and most eloquently and ably has he fulfilled his mission. The enthusiastic welcome with which he has everywhere been greeted by all classes and conditions of our citizens, shows that the fires of freedom, enkindled by our revolutionary fathers, yet burn with unabated vigor in the hearts of our people; that we are not only sensible of and appreciate our inestimable birthright, but that we rejoice in the prospect of its extension, and are willing to extend the helping hand to other nations, however distant, struggling for that civil and religious freedom which is the natural right of all humanity. And how have we, the descendants of the immortal Washington and his illustrious compeers, the descendants of men who thought liberty, who talked liberty, who fought for liberty, and conquered in its name, responded to his appeal? The press, the halls of legislation, municipalities, the people, have issued forth one ocean-tide of sympathy for his cause and his country; and our federal government should give her high, and republican, and fearless sanction to the principle of nonintervention in the domestic struggles of nations. The despots of Europe expect us, the only representative of free government, to favor freedom everywhere; and why should they not expect us by every means, moral and national, to favor the non-intervention principle of the law of nations also? They do; and if we shrink from the duty the circumstances indicate and impose, we shall only degrade ourselves in their estimation, and encourage their despotic sway, until all Europe and our own beloved country may feel the crush and ruin of constitutional freedom, and see the obliteration of our own cherished and liberal institutions.

That series of measures known as the Compromise measures, passed by the last Congress, has had, as intended by the wise and patriotic men who contributed to their origin and passage, the happy influence to tranquilize that excitement of the public mind which so fearfully wrought sectional commotion, and threatened a dissolution of the Union. The measures taken to avert the threatened calamity, although not entirely satisfactory to either the North or the South, were conceded to be the best attainable at the time. Their justice and necessity are more and more apparent to all who examine them dispassionately, in connection with the constitution and the circumstances which called them

forth. The Fugitive Slave Law, that gave rise to such noisy and acrimonious denunciations from certain philanthropists, seems now to be gaining the acquiescence of all Union-loving citizens, and inspiring determination that its provisions shall be carried out in good faith. However much it may be regretted that force of circumstances called for this enactment, yet the obligations of the constitution and the love of the Union unite in the affirmance of its necessity and binding force; and the love of order and sectional right, the promptings of patriotism and fraternal ties which have and ever will continue to bind us together as a family of States, will give it the solemn sanction of this great Union. The faith that bound our fathers will bind their sons; and the glorious federal constitution and the blessed Union which have conferred such unparalleled prosperity, extension and renown upon the American people, will be preserved, and I trust perpetuated.

When we turn our eyes to the portrait upon the wall, and behold the father of his country, benignity beaming from his countenance, and he apparently uttering the injunction, "Union, harmony, fraternity, if ye are patriotic and would continue to be free;" can our hearts fail to be imbued with the inspiration of the sentiment, and to unite in the invocation of his spirit, and the spirit of the Father of all countries and all States, to preside over and guide our deliberations, and sanction whatever we may do, to the best inter-

ests of the State and the Union?

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 3, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Freeman, of the Senate— The Convention rose; whereupon the Senate returned to their Chamber.

IN SENATE.

Mr. Bennett submitted the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to procure one hundred and fifty printed copies of the message of His Excellency the Governor, for the use of the Senate.

On the question,
Shall the foregoing resolution pass?
The affirmative of the question prevailed.
On motion of Mr. Woodbury—
The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, June 4, 1852.

The Clerk was proceeding with the reading of the journal of yesterday, when—

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the reading of so much of the journal of yesterday as relates to the message of His Excellency the Governor, be dispensed with.

Mr. Shannon, from the joint committee to assign committee rooms to the standing committees of the two branches

of the Legislature, reported the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That committee rooms numbered 7 and 8 be occupied by committees of the Senate, and the following rooms by the committees of the House of Representatives:

No. 1—by the committees on Banks and on Printers' Accounts:

No. 2-by the committees on Elections and on Agriculture;

No. 4—by the committees on Towns and Parishes, on Roads, Bridges and Canals, and on Public Lands;

No. 5—by the committees on Claims, on Finance, and on

the Division of Towns;

No. 9—by committees on Unfinished Business, on Bills on their Second Reading, and on the State Prison;

No. 10-by the committee on the Judiciary;

No. 11—by the committees on Manufactures, on Military Affairs, and on Military Accounts;

No. 12—by the committees on Education, on Mileage, and on the Insane Asylum:

No. 13—by the committees on Railroads and on the Library;

No. 6-by the joint committee on Engrossed Bills;

No. 3—by the committees on the State House and State House Yard, and by the select committees.

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

On the question,

Shall the joint resolution accompanying said report pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Weeks of Canaan, Frink of Newington, and Bailey of Salem, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him that the following gentlemen have been elected Councillors for the ensuing political year:

From District No. 1-Moses Eaton, jr.;

" 2—Joseph H. Smith; " 3—Samuel Butterfield;

" " 4—James Batcheller;

" " 5—Russell Cox;

And to wait on the several Councillors and notify them of their election, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid joint select committee to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the election of Hon. Moses Eaton, jr., Hon. Joseph H. Smith, Hon. Samuel Butterfield, Hon. James Batcheller, and Hon. Russell Cox, as Councillors for the ensuing year, and also to wait upon the several Councillors elect and inform them of their election?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That Mr. Whittemore be joined to said committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Whittemore-

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the Chair to prepare and report rules for the government of the Senate during the present session.

Ordered, That Messrs. Whittemore, Bennett and Wood-

bury be said committee.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to procure twelve copies of the Pamphlet Laws of the State, passed at the

June session, 1851, for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Whittemore, from the joint select committee appointed to notify His Excellency the Governor of the election of Hon. Moses Eaton, jr., Hon. Joseph H. Smith, Hon. Samuel Butterfield, Hon. James Batcheller and Hon. Russell Cox as Councillors for the ensuing political year, and also to notify the Hon. Moses Eaton, jr., Hon. Joseph H. Smith, Hon. Samuel Butterfield, Hon. James Batcheller and Hon. Russell Cox of their election as Councillors for the ensuing political year, by leave, reported that they had attended to the duties assigned them, and that the said Hon. Moses Eaton, jr., Hon. Joseph H. Smith, Hon. Samuel Butterfield, Hon. James Batcheller and Hon. Russell Cox severally signified their acceptance of said office.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet again on Monday next at four o'clock in the afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, June 7, 1852.

Mr. Whittemore, from the select committee appointed to prepare and report rules and regulations for the government of the Senate the present year, by leave, made the following report:

The select committee appointed to prepare and report rules for the government of the Senate the present year, have attended to the duty assigned them, and beg leave to report the following rules for the Senate the present year.

BERNARD B. WHITTEMORE, for the committee.

RULES OF THE SENATE.

1. The President having taken the chair, and a quorum being present, the journal of the preceding day shall be read, and any erroneous entry shall be corrected.

2. No member shall hold conversation with another during the reading of the journal, or while a member is speak-

ing in debate.

3. Every member, rising to speak, shall address the President, and when he has finished, shall sit down.

4. No member shall speak more than twice on the same question on the same day, without leave of the Senate.

5. More than one member rising to speak at the same time, the President shall decide who shall speak first.

- 6. If any member transgress the rules of the Senate, the President shall, or any member may, call him to order, in which case the member so called to order shall sit down, and the Senate, if appealed to, shall decide in the case; but if there be no appeal, the decision of the President shall be conclusive.
- 7. No member shall absent himself without permission from the Senate.

8. A motion shall be seconded before it is debated, and, if required by the President or any member, it shall be reduced to writing.

9. When a question is under debate, no motion shall be received but to adjourn, to postpone indefinitely, to lay on the table, to postpone to a certain day, to commit, or to amend, which several motions shall take precedence in the same order in which they are arranged. And no motion to postpone indefinitely, to postpone to a certain day, or to commit, being decided, shall be in order at the same stage of the bill or proposition, until after an adjournment.

10. If the question under debate shall admit of division, any member may have it divided; and in filling blanks, the

longest time and the largest sum shall be put first.

11. When the reading of a paper is called for, and the same is objected to, it shall be decided by a vote of the Senate, and without debate.

12. When the ayes and noes are required, each member shall declare his assent or dissent to the question, unless for

special reasons he be excused by the Senate.

13. When a motion is made to shut the doors of the Senate, on the discussion of any business which in the opinion of any member may require secrecy, the President shall desire the gallery to be closed, and the doors shall remain

closed until the subject is disposed of.

14. After a motion has been decided, it shall be in order for any member who voted with the majority, or if the Senate be equally divided, any member voting on the side prevailing, to move for a reconsideration thereof, unless the bill, resolution, report, amendment or motion on which the vote was taken, has gone from the possession of the Senate; but no motion to reconsider shall be in order unless made the same day on which the vote was taken, or the next day after on which the Senate shall be in session; but no vote shall be reconsidered when a less number of members is present than when it passed.

15. Before any petition or memorial, addressed to the Senate, shall be received and read, a brief statement of the contents thereof shall be made by the member introducing

the same.

16. At least one day's notice shall be given before a mo-

tion for leave to bring in a bill shall be in order.

17. Every bill shall be read three times before its passage; and the President shall give notice at each time whether it be the first, second or third reading; and no bill, after it has been read a second time, shall have a third reading before an adjournment.

18. All resolutions which may require the signature of the Governor, shall be treated in the same manner as bills.

19. When a bill shall have been read a first time and ordered to a second reading, it shall immediately be read a second time by its title, and by the President referred to the appropriate standing committee, unless otherwise ordered by the Senate.

20. The Senate may resolve itself into a committee of the whole, at any time, on motion made for that purpose; and

in forming a committee of the whole, the President shall leave the chair and appoint a chairman to preside in committee. The President may at any time name any member to perform the duties of the chair, but such substitution

shall not extend beyond an adjournment.

21. The last question upon the second reading of a bill or resolution shall always be, Shall it be read a third time? and no amendment shall be received or discussed on the third reading of any bill or resolution, unless by consent of eight members present; but it shall at all times be in order, before the final passage of a bill or resolution, to move its commitment; and should such commitment take place, and an amendment be reported, the bill or resolution shall again be read a second time, and considered as in committee of the whole.

22. The titles of bills, and such parts thereof as may be affected by proposed amendments, shall be entered on the

journals.

23. All bills, resolutions and addresses, after passing the Senate, shall be signed by the President; and all warrants and other processes issued by order of the Senate, shall be

under his hand and seal, attested by the Clerk.

24. The following standing committees, to consist of three members each, shall be appointed at the commencement of any session, with leave to report by bill or otherwise: a committee on the Judiciary; a committee on Incorporations; a committee on Military Affairs; a committee on Railroads; a committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals; a committee on Claims; a committee on Agriculture and Manufactures; a committee on Banks; a committee on Elections; a committee on Education; a committee on Unfinished Business; and a committee on Printers' Accounts.

25. All committees shall be appointed by the President, unless a member requests that the appointment shall be by

ballot, in which case it shall be so done.

26. When the Senate shall concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a joint committee consisting of not more than five members of the House, one member shall be added on the part of the Senate; but when more than five, two members of the Senate shall be added.

27. Messages shall be sent to the House of Representa-

tives by the Clerk of the Senate.

28. Messages from the Governor or House of Representatives may be received at all times, except when the Senate is engaged in putting a question, in calling the ayes and noes, in counting the ballots, or reading the journal.

29. All questions shall be put by the President, and each member of the Senate shall signify his assent or dissent by answering aye or no. If the President doubts, or a division is called for, the Senate shall divide. Those in the affirmative of the question shall first rise from their seats, and stand till they be counted, and afterwards those in the negative shall rise and stand till they be counted. The President shall then rise and state the decision of the Senate.

30. No person, except the members of the Executive, or members of the House of Representatives and their officers, shall be admitted within the bar of the Senate, except by invitation of the President or some member with his consent.

31. The Senate shall adjourn to meet at ten o'clock in the morning and three o'clock in the afternoon of each day, unless the Senate shall otherwise order.

32. Motions to adjourn shall be decided without debate.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted, and that the foregoing rules be adopted for the government of the Senate the present year.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Collins of Francestown, Plaisted of Jefferson, Barker of Westmoreland, Adams of Manchester and Freese of Northwood a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to procure seven hundred and fifty copies of the rules of the Senate, the rules of the House, the joint rules of the Senate and House, the Constitution of this State, the Constitution of the United States, the names of the several members of the Legislature, the officers thereof, their respective places of residence, their boarding places, and the number of their seats, together with lists of the standing committees and the number of

the committee room assigned to each committee, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the foregoing joint select committee to procure the printing of seven hundred and fifty copies of the rules of the Senate, the rules of the House, the joint rules of the Senate and House, the Constitution of the State, the Constitution of the United States, the names of the several members of the Legislature and the officers thereof, their places of residence, their boarding places, and the number of the seats they occupy, with a list of the standing committees of each branch, and the number of the committee room assigned to each committee?

It was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered, That Mr. Freeman be joined to said committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

Mr. Rix, from the committee appointed to prepare and report joint rules for the government of the two branches of the Legislature the present year, by leave, reported the joint rules of the last session, as follows:

JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

1. When a convention of the two houses is to be formed, whether by requirement of the Constitution, or by vote a or resolve of the two houses, a message shall be sent from the House of Representatives to the Senate, giving notice when the House will meet the Senate in convention. As soon thereafter as the convenience of the Senate will permit, they will attend in the House. The Speaker of the House shall be chairman of the convention, and shall state the reason for forming the convention. When the House and Senate are thus formed in convention, the rules adopted as the rules of the House shall be considered the rules of the convention, so far as they may be deemed applicable, and the convention shall accordingly be governed thereby.

2. Messages shall be sent by such person or persons as a sense of propriety in each house may determine to be proper.

3. When a message shall be sent from either house to the other, it shall be announced at the door of the house to which it may be sent, by the doorkeeper.

4. While bills are on their passage between the two houses, they shall be under the signature of the clerk of

each house respectively.

- 5. There shall be a committee for the purpose of engrossing bills, consisting of two members of each house. All bills that pass both houses shall be delivered to said committee, be by them engrossed, carefully examined, and reported to the respective houses; and shall be signed, first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and then by the President of the Senate.
- 6. There shall be a committee, to consist of three members of the House and one of the Senate, on each of the following subjects, to wit: on all matters relative to the State Library, and on all matters relative to the State House and State House Yard.
- 7. When a bill or resolve which shall have passed in one house is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given to the house in which the same shall have passed.

8. Each house shall transmit to the other all papers on

which any bill or resolve shall be founded.

9. Each house shall transmit to the other all bills which have passed their several stages in the house in which they originated, at least twenty-four hours before the time fixed on for adjournment.

10. After each house shall have adhered to their disagree-

ment, a bill or resolve shall be considered lost.

On motion of Mr. Woodbury-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted, and the joint rules as reported be adopted.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have on

their part appointed Tuesday next, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of going into the election of Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printer, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of Tuesday next, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the time of going into the election of Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printer?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Plaisted of Jefferson, Cilley of Deerfield and Atwood of Pelham, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer, and report thereon, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid joint select committee to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That Mr. Taylor be joined to said committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have adopted the joint rules of the Senate and House of Representatives for the year 1851, as the joint rules for the present year, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the joint rules of the Senate and House of Representatives for the year 1851, as the joint rules of the two houses the present year?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in the adoption of the report of the joint committee appointed to assign committee rooms to the standing committees of the two branches of the Legislature."

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the chair to take into consideration the message of His Excellency the Governor, and report what disposition be made of the several subjects embraced therein.

Ordered, That Messrs. Bennett, Whittemore and Will-

iamson be said committee.

The President of the Senate announced from the chair the appointment of the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

On the Judiciary—Messrs. Williamson, Bennett and Whittemore.

On Incorporations-Messrs. Rix, Freeman and Merrill.

On Military Affairs—Messrs. Hoitt, Tuttle and Woodbury.

On Roads, Bridges and Canals—Messrs. Shannon, Merrill and Hoitt.

On Claims-Messrs. Whittemore, Rix and Tuttle.

On Railroads—Messrs. Merrill, Taylor and Bennett... On Banks—Messrs. Taylor, Freeman and Williamson.

On Agriculture and Manufactures—Messrs. Tuttle, Shannon and Woodbury.

On Elections—Messrs. Woodbury, Taylor and Shannon. On Education—Messrs. Bennett, Woodbury and Rix.

On Unfinished Business—Messrs. Freeman, Hoitt and Williamson.

On Printers' Accounts—Messrs. Woodbury, Whittemore and Taylor.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

On Engrossed Bills—Messrs. Whittemore and Merrill. On State Library, &c.—Mr. Rix. On State House, &c.—Mr. Woodbury.

On motion of Mr. Tuttle— The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, June 8, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the reading of the journal of yesterday be dispensed with.

Mr. Bennett, from the committee appointed to take into consideration the message of His Excellency the Governor, and report what disposition be made of the several subjects embraced therein, by leave made the following report:

The select committee appointed to take into consideration the annual message of His Excellency the Governor, and report what disposition be made of the several subjects embraced therein, having had that matter under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution:

A. H. BENNETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That so much of the message of His Excellency as relates to the judiciary be referred to the committee on the Judiciary; so much as relates to the militia, to the committee on Military Affairs; so much as relates to education, to the committee on Education; so much as relates to the Asylum for the Insane, to the State Prison, and to a

Reform School, to a select committee of three; so much as relates to corporations, to the committee on Incorporations; so much as relates to temperance, to a select committee of three; so much as relates to the right of suffrage and to national affairs, to a select committee of three; and so much as relates to agriculture, to the committee on Agricul-

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

On the question,

Shall the foregoing resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That Messrs. Whittemore, Freeman and Woodbury be the committee on so much of His Excellency's message as relates to the Asylum for the Insane, to the State Prison and to a Reform School.

Ordered, That Messrs. Merrill, Bennett and Taylor be the committee on so much of His Excellency's message as

relates to temperance.

Ordered, That Messrs. Rix, Williamson and Tuttle be the committee on so much of His Excellency's message as relates to the right of suffrage and to national affairs.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The Speaker of the House has appointed the following gentlemen as members of the joint standing committees on the part of the House, to wit:

On the Library-Messrs. Hersey of Hill, Hoyt of Man-

chester, Sargent of Newton.

On the State House and State House Yard-Messrs. Locke of Epsom, Ward of Hampton and Whittier of Ray-

On Engrossed Bills-Messrs. Moses of Portsmouth and Harriman of Warner."

Mr. Taylor, from the joint select committee appointed to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer, by leave made the following

REPORT:

The joint select committee appointed to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer, report that they have carefully examined the Treasurer's books, which exhibit a summary of the receipts and payments of the Treasurer during the last fiscal year, ending the 2d day of June, 1852, and also a statement of the debts due from the State, as embraced in his report herewith submitted, as follows:

JACOB TAYLOR, for the committee.

ANNUAL REPORT OF THE TREASURER OF STATE.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE,
Treasury Office, Concord, June 2, 1852.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

Gentlemen: In obedience to the requisitions of law, I have prepared and respectfully submit to your body the following statement of the finances of the State, and of the receipts and disbursements at the Treasury for the year ending June 2, 1852:

The amount received, derived from all sources and received into the Treasury for the fiscal year, is two hundred and nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight dollars and thirty-seven cents, which amount includes the sum of eighty-nine thousand and one hundred dollars received on loans authorized by acts of July 3d and 4th, 1851, three thousand and one hundred dollars received in trust from the estate of Jacob Kimball, and four thousand three hundred ninety dollars and eighty-six cents received from the Treasury of the United States for interest on advances made in repelling invasion and suppressing insurrection at Indian Stream.

The amount of expenditures for all purposes during the same period, including the payment of principal and interest on the debt against the State, is two hundred and two thousand and three dollars and eighty-three cents, leaving a balance in the Treasury, June 2, 1852, of seven thousand nine hundred and ninety-four dollars and fifty-four cents. Briefly stated in figures, these accounts make the following exhibit:

Receipts into the Treasury during the fiscal year	ar
from ordinary sources,	\$113,407 51
Receipts from authorized act of 3d July, 1851,	42,000 00
" 4th "	47,100 00
estate of Jacob Kimball,	3,100 00
" Treasury of United States,	4,390 86
Total revenue,	\$209,998 37
Whole amount of expenditures,	[*] 202,003 83
Balance in the Treasury, June 2, 1852,	\$7,994 54

By the report on the finances which I had the honor to submit to the last Legislature, (June 4, 1851,) it appears the debt against the State, above the available funds, was \$76,790 86

The debt against the State at this date, (June 2, 1852,) above the available funds, is 66,195 08

This exhibit of the receipts and expenditures during the fiscal year presents the gratifying fact that the receipts into the Treasury, exclusive of loans, have exceeded the expenditures in the sum of \$10,595 78.

REVENUE OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Tax on the	Ashuelot Railroad,	\$1,298	27
"	Boston, Concord and Mon	it-	
	real Railroad,		
	Boston and Maine Railroad	1, 5,575	43
	Concord Railroad,	10,772	18
"	Cheshire Railroad,	6,878	06
"	Cochecho Railroad,	912	16
"	Concord and Claremont		
	Railroad,	282	96
	Contoocook Valley Railro	bad, 83	96
"	Eastern Railroad,	3,369	95
	Great Falls and Conwa		
	Railroad,	310	35
"	Manchester and Lawrenc	e	
	Railroad,		51
"	Northern Railroad,	12,386	80

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Tax on the	Nashua and Lowell R	ail-	
	road,	1,246 52	
"	Portsmouth and Cond	cord	
	Railroad,	641 17	
"	Sullivan Railroad,	1,068 63 794 93	
"	Wilton Railroad, Worcester and Nashua		
	road,	317 40	
"	N. H. Central Railroad	1, 261 11	and the burns.
		1011	\$53,821 10
	State Ta	x.	
Received S	tate Tax, 1847,	\$16 80	
"	" 1850,	209 27	
"	" 1851,	58,987 30	# FO 019 9#
		1	\$59,213 37
	Civil Commis	ssions.	
Received o	f Hon. John L. Hadley	. Secretary of	
State,		HANN AND WELL	\$373 04
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	of J. Smith, executor	of the will of	3,100 00
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Received o	of Treasurer United S	tates, interest	
on advar	nces made U.S. in repe	elling invasion	1.000.00
and supp	pressing insurrection at	Indian Stream,	4,390 86
То	tal amount of receipts,	Suid O. Chine	3209,998 37
	DISBURSEM	ENTS.	
	SALARIES,	viz:	
	Governo	r.	
Paid His	Excellency Samuel Din	smoor,	\$1,000 00
	Judges of the Sup	erior Court.	
Paid Hon.	John J. Gilchrist,	\$1,400 00	

Paid Hon.	Andrew S. Woods,	1,200 00	
"	Ira A. Eastman,	1,200 00	
"	Samuel D. Bell,	1,200 00	
"	Ira Perley,	1,200 00	
		pi lmyllud	\$6,200 00

Judges of the Circuit Court.

Paid Hon. George Y. Sawyer, "Charles R. Morrison,	\$600 00 900 00	
No application of the second		\$1,500 00

Justices of the Court of Common Pleas.

Paid Hon.	Bradbury Bartlett,	\$187	00	
70 e 6 0 0 a	James Pickering,	236		
"	George L. Whitehouse,	115		
"	Hiram R. Roberts,	109		
46	Henry Y. Simpson,	205		
"	Thomas Cogswell,	243		
"	Thomas Rust,	58		
"	Thomas P. Drake,	58		
	Benjamin Wadleigh,	151		
"	Jacob A. Potter,	143	100000000000000000000000000000000000000	
"	Jesse Carr,	204	15/12/13	
	Jacob Whittemore,	213	22734	
	Horace Chapin,	96		
	Nathan G. Babbitt,	96		
	Ambrose Cossitt,			
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	Eleazer Jackson,	61	40	
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"	Oscar F. Fowler,	179	80	
"	Nahum D. Day,	144		
	Robert Ingalls,	153		
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Judges of Probate.

Paid Hon	. Ira St. Clair,	\$417 50
"	Charles Woodman,	167 00
"	Warren Lovell,	142 00
"	Jonathan T. Chase,	177 50

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Tuesday, June 8, 1852.

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00 00%	Benjamin Hunking,	108 00	\$2,389 09

Registers of Probate.

Paid	J. Hamilton Shapley,	\$346 50	
	William B. Morrill,	115 50	
	John H. White,	233 00	
	O. A. J. Vaughan,	183 00	
	Sanborn B. Carter,	183 00	
	William P. Foster,	386 25	
	Lemuel N. Pattee,	580 00	
	George Starkweather,	230 00	
	George W. Sturtevant,	75 00	
	Henry E. Baldwin,	225 00	
	Samuel Swasey,	380 00	
	Sullitude Straboy,		\$2,946 25

Attorney General.

Paid Hon. John	Sullivan,	\$1,200 00
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Adjutant General.

Paid Hon. John	Wadleigh,	\$400 00
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Warden of State Prison.

DITT DCD	\$800 00
Paid Hon. Rufus Dow,	2000 00

Chaplain of State Prison.

Paid Rev. Eleaze	r Smith,	\$200 00
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Secretary of State.

Paid Hon. John L. Hadley,	\$800 00
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Treasurer of State.

Paid	Edson	Hill,
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\$600 00

State Reporter.

Paid William L. Foster,

\$400 00

County School Commissioners.

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Paid	Zebulon Jones,	170 00	
66	John S. Woodman,	37 50	
"	Thomas J. Greenwood,	75 00	
"	Giles Leach,	60 00	
"	Sanborn B. Carter,	120 00	
. "	Hall Roberts,	195 00	
"	George W. Moor.	155 00	ili Way
"	Joseph Perry,	60 00	
"	A. H. Bennett,	60 00	foed 1
"	Dyer H. Sanborn,	135 00	
"	Charles Shedd,	277 50	
"	B. F. Whidden,	202 50	
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County Solicitors.

Paid William Burns,	\$30 00
" A. B. Williamson,	60 00
" J. E. Sargent,	100 00
" S. H. Ayer,	50 00
" Samuel Emerson,	30 00
" William P. Wheeler,	40 00
	\$310 0

Sheriffs for return of votes.

Paid	Sheriff	of Rockingham County,	\$7 60
"	"	Strafford County,	12 00
66	"	Carroll County,	11 00
66	"	Belknap County,	6 00
"	"	Hillsborough County,	7 60
"	"	Cheshire County,	10 00

Paid Sheriff of	Charton County,		A DIES
00	\$103 60		
	of State balance ount, June 4, 1851,	due on settle-	\$341 13

Orders on Legislative Resolves.

Paid	John M. Lindsey, Dep. Com. Gen-		
	eral,	\$89	
66	A. G. Savory & Co.,	2	07
46	Town of Conway, for monument		
	to Capt. J. W. Thompson,	100	
66	N. P. Fogg,	11	STATE OF THE PARTY OF
66	P. G. Chase,	5	50
66	D. A. Hill,	23	50
66	Jason F. Nutter,	41	96
66	Luther Roby, balance due for		
	block of granite for Washing-		
	ton Monument,	75	00
"	Rufus Merrill, stationery,	10	06
66	Grover & Sargent,	32	
66	A. J. Edmunds,	17	
66	Ithiel E. Clay,	38	00
66	Joseph Wheat,	33	80
66	Jesse Thomas, for gun-house,	50	00
"	Wm. P. Hill, Engrossing Clerk,	80	20
"	Daniel Lancaster, Chaplain Legisla		
	ture, 1851,	64	40
66	Currier, Doe & Co.,	7	20
66	Geo. O. Odlin & Co., Daily States		
	man,		00
66	B. F. Blaisdell, Representative from	a	
	Goffstown,	56	00
66	Porter, Rolfe & Brown,	34	12
"	L. D. Brown,	Maria Miles	61
"	Joseph L. Locke, Com. General,	481	37
66	Thomas J. Whipple, Clerk Hous	e	
	of Reps.,	632	87
"	H. P. Rolfe,	49	00
"	Horace Call,	55	01

Paid B. W. Sanborn, stationery, William Fisk, Keeper State House and Yard, Butterfield & Hill, Daily Patriot, Morrill & Silsby, agents, books and stationery, Page & Fay, carpeting for Council chamber, Edson Hill, P. O. account, &c., 38 90 Thomas J. Dow, for wood, 20 25 John H. George, Clerk of Senate, 1850, 359 77 G. P. Lyon, 18 35 Tripp & Morril, 3 21 S. Carter, 3 50 Lowell Eastman, 32 12 M. C. Cutchins, 2 50 Seth Adams & Co., State Prison account, 100 00 H. M. Robinson, 5 31 M. B. Safford, 4 00 Rufus Dow, debt against State Prison, 1500 00 Uri Lamprey, for examining accounts vs. State Prison, 1500 00 Uri Lamprey, for examining accounts vs. State Prison, 15 00 Ralph Metcalf, for examining accounts vs. State Prison, 14 00 Sarah D. F. Young, for services of Gen. Young, late of Lancaster, deceased, in militia, (Indian Stream insurrection,) 475 00 Isaiah Piper, 10 26 B. Gill, 869 J. B. Smart, 150 Wyatt & Teel, 430 Abraham Plumer, Representative from Gosport, 1846, 51 33 Town of Haverhill, dividend on railroad stock, 1849, 125 52	Dai	D W Contain	0.40			
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Books and Stationery for Convicts.

Paid Rev. Eleazer Smith, for purchase of books and stationery,	\$100 00
To the Catharine Fiske.	

Estate of Catharine Fiske.

\$250 00 Paid Eliza P. W. Hastings, annuity for 1851,

Estate of Jacob Kimball.

Paid N. H. Asylum, interest for one year on \$205 80 amount held in trust,

For money borrowed.

Paid Thomas P. Treadwell, interest on note, dated July 10, 1849,
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note, money borrowed for N. 11. 1139
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Paid Sarah C. Moore, principal and in-	36 00
Paid Webster & Peaslee, executors,	423 33
principal and interest, executors,	
principal and interest, note dated Dec. 18, 1850,	
Paid Charles H. Down	636 70
Paid Charles H. Dow, principal and in-	
	1,273 60
Paid Jeremiah H. Wilkins, interest on	
notes dated Oct. 2, 1849, Feb. 5, 1850,	
	75 00
Paid Aaron Whittemore, interest on	
	78 00
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	60 00
Paid Amoskeag Bank, principal and in-	
terest, note dated July 2, 1851,	5,450 00
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Officers' School of Instru	ction
Paid off	
Paid officers and musicians, travel and	attend-
ance, 1850, since last report,	\$14 96
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Volunteer Militia.	
Paid sundry towns, per acts of June s	essions
1850-'51,	
	\$4,577 00
Clerks Superior Court	
Paid travel and attendance, Clerks of the	Suna
rior Court, Dec. session, 1851,	
in the second second second	\$189 70
Military Appropriations	COMPANY COUNTY TO SERVE TO SER
Paid Gen. John Wadleigh, appropriation,	1051 #000
and a serior atton,	1851, \$200 00

State Reform School.

Paid John S. Woodman,

\$151 15

Contingent Fund.

Paid William Boardman, " E. S. Lawrence, " W. W. Eastman,	\$27 20 25 40 28 00 \$80 60
Total amount of expenditures,	\$202,003 83

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF THE FOREGOING ACCOUNT.

A condensed statement from the Treasurer's books.

Money borrowed,	\$42,000 00
" received on loan — act of	
July 4, 1851,	47,100 00
Railroad tax for 1851,	53,821 10
State tax outstanding, 1847,	16 80
" 1850,	209 27
State tax for 1851,	58,987 30
Civil commissions,	373 04
Legacy of Jacob Kimball, in trust,	3,100 00
Received from U.S. Treasury,	4,390 86
	\$209,998 37
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Salaries,	\$23,227 17
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N. H. Reports,	3,263 91
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Incidental account, Cash in the Treasury,

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-\$209,998 37

Respectfully submitted,

EDSON HILL, Treasurer.

June 8, 1852.—The foregoing we find correctly cast, properly vouched, and the same is respectfully submitted.

JACOB TAYLOR, B. H. PLAISTED, H. G. CILLEY.

APPENDIX.

SURPLUS REVENUE.

The amount of "Surplus Revenue" not withdrawn from the Treasury, June 1, 1851, is as follows:

Principal.

Amount of principal, the same being loaned upon interest annually, June 1, 1852, \$1,009 44

Interest.

Amount of interest in the Treasury,
June 1, 1851,

Amount of interest due on said loan,
June 1, 1852,

60 51

\$587 96

Amount withdrawn-Interest.

Cash paid Hart's Location, interest in full to June 1, 1851,

Cash paid town of Clarksville, interest in full to June 1, 1851,

4 67

8 27

Amount of interest in the Treasury and due on loan, June 1, 1852,

\$579 69

The following table exhibits the several towns and places to which this money is due, and the amount due each on the first day of June, 1852:

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and the state of t	Princi	pal.	Inte	erest.
Cambridge, interest paid to Dec. 1, 1849,	\$160	56	\$24	07
Clarksville, interest paid to June 1, 1851,	155		77	32
Dixville,	80		A Zar Sarial Sar	10
Dix's Grant,	40		To Your State of	48
Ervin's Location,	13			16
Green's Grant,		66		14 30
Gilmanton and Atkinson Academies' Grant	10	14		46
Hart's Location, interest paid to June 1, 188	, 40	14	THE PROPERTY OF	46
Hale's Location,				40
Low and Burbank's Grant,	20		2 年 2 五 4 2 3	28
Millsfield,	26		22	32
	80	28	67	10
Nash and Sawyer's Location,	40	14	33	48
Odell's Township,	66	90	55	94
Pinkham's Grant, interest paid to June 1,				
1851,	13	38	8	76
Second College Grant,	33	1000	27	
Success,	133		111	1
Wentworth's Location,	58		48	
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Amount not withdrawn, June 1, 1852, 41	000	11	# E70	GO

rawn, June 1, 1852, \$1,009 44 \$579 69

LITERARY FUND.

The amount of Literary Fund remaining in the Treasury, June 1, 1852, being the sum of former dividends to sundry unincorporated places, is \$28 91 The following are the places to which this sum is due, with the amount each, viz:

Second College Grant, \$11 33 Wentworth's Location, 17 58

28 91

LEGACY OF CATHARINE FISK.

Amount received into the Treasury, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature, passed at the November session, 1844, and holden in trust by the State,

\$5,419 67

The payments made by virtue of said act are a	s follows:
1846, June 11—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1846.	\$250 00
1847, June 3—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1847.	250 00
1848, June 14—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1848,	250 00
1849, June 6—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1849,	250 00
1850, June 6—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1850,	200 00
1851, June 6—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1851,	250 00
	\$1,500 00

LEGACY OF JACOB KIMBALL.

Amount received into the Treasury, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature, passed at the June session, 1850, and holden in trust by the State, \$7,530 00 1851, July 24—Paid N. H. Asylum, by virtue of said act,

RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

The amount which has been deposited in the Treasury by the several railroad corporations, together with the amount paid, and the amount still remaining on deposit, is presented in the following tabular view:

CHESHIRE RAILROAD.

Notices.

1845, May 14, cash deposited for publishing notices in several newspapers, \$26 25 Cash paid for publishing notices, 26 25

Land Damages.

Amount deposited at sundry times for payment \$11,984 68

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Amount paid damages to sundry land owners, to June 1, 1852, 11,962 68	
Amount remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, \$22 00	
NORTHERN RAILROAD.	
Notices.	
1845, June 24, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$28 25 Cash paid for publishing notices, 28 25	
Land Damages.	
1847, June 26, cash deposited for payment of land owners, \$11,435 00 Cash paid damages to sundry land owners, \$11,348 00	
Amount remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, \$87 00	
FRANKLIN AND BRISTOL RAILROAD.	
Notices.	
1847, July 1, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$40 00 Cash paid for publishing notices, 30 00	
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852, \$10 00	
Land Damages.	
1847, Dec. 27, cash deposited for payment of land damages, Cash paid land owners, \$2925 92 2877 00	
Cash remaining on deposit for land owners, June 1, 1852, \$48 92	
BOSTON, CONCORD AND MONTREAL RAILROAD.	
Notices.	
1847, Sept. 24, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$50 50 Cash paid for publishing notices, 50 50	

Land Damages.

1847, July 27, cash deposited for payment of land owners, \$89 00 Cash paid land owners, 89 00

WILTON RAILROAD.

Notices.

1847, Nov. 27, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$24 25 Cash paid for publishing notices, 24 25

Land Damages.

- Amount deposited at sundry times for payment of land owners, \$9,117 00 Cash paid land owners, 8,737 00
- Cash remaining on deposit for land owners, June 1, 1852, \$380 00

PORTSMOUTH AND CONCORD RAILROAD.

Notices.

- 1846, March 4, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$26 25 Cash paid for publishing notices, 20 00
- Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852, \$6 25

Land Damages.

- Amount received at sundry times for payment of land owners, \$523 00 Cash paid land owners, 290 00
- Cash remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, \$233 00

SULLIVAN RAILROAD.

Notices.

1847, June 16, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$46 00

Tuesday, June 8, 1852.	63
Cash paid for publishing notices,	30 00
Cash remaining on deposit for publishing notices, June 1, 1852,	\$16 00
Land Damages.	
1848, Feb. 1, cash deposited for payment of land owners, Cash remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852,	\$301 00 301 00
MANCHESTER AND LAWRENCE RAILROAD.	
Notices.	
1847, cash deposited for publishing notices, Cash paid for publishing notices,	\$86 00 58 00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$28 00
Land Damages.	
1848, Nov. 22, cash deposited for payment of land owners, Cash paid land owners,	66,955 00 6,650 67
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$304 33
COCHECHO RAILROAD.	
Notices.	
1848, Feb. 25, cash deposited for publishing notices. Cash paid for publishing notices,	s, \$44 00 36 00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$8 00
Land Damages.	
Amount deposited at sundry times for payment of land owners, Cash paid land owners,	\$3,542 92 3,314 42
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$228 50

CONCORD AND CLAREMONT RAILROAD.

Notices.

1848, Sept. 1, cash deposited for publishing notices,	\$44 00
Cash paid for publishing notices,	36 00
Cash remaining on deposit,	\$8 00

Land Damages.

1850, Dec. 6, cash deposited for payment of land	
owners,	\$781 00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	781 00

CONTOOCOOK VALLEY RAILROAD.

Notices.

Cash paid for publishing notices,	, \$44 00 38 00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$6 00
Land Damages.	
1848 and 1850, cash deposited for payment of land	
owners,	\$285 00
Cash paid land owners,	285 00

PETERBOROUGH AND SHIRLEY RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, Jan. 3, cash deposited for publishing notices, Cash paid for publishing notices,	
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852.	\$4 00

NEW HAMPSHIRE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Notices.

1848, Dec. 19, cash deposited for publishing notices, Cash paid for publishing notices,	\$44 00 38 00
Cash remaining on denosit June 1 1852	\$6.00

- ASHUELOT RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, Feb. 7, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$7 00 7 00

CONNECTICUT RIVER AND MONTREAL RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, March 23, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$2 00 Cash paid for publishing notices,

GREAT FALLS AND CONWAY RAILROAD.

Notices.

1850, cash deposited for publishing notices,	\$2 00
Cash paid for publishing notices,	2 00

WHITE MOUNTAINS RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, Nov. 22, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$5 50 Cash paid for publishing notices,

ATLANTIC AND ST. LAWRENCE RAILROAD.

Land Damages.

1851, April 24, cash deposited for payment of land owners, \$3,203 00 Cash paid sundry land owners, 3,143 00

Cash remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, \$60 00

NOTES STANDING AGAINST THE STATE, JUNE 2, 1852.

Due	Parker Jones.	note dated June 22, 1848,	\$782 00
16	loan obtained	for N. H. Asylum, 1849,	15,000 00
"		under act July 4, 1851,	47,100 00

Taxes outstanding,

Due Charles H. Carpenter, note date "Thos. P. Treadwell, note dated balance of legacy of Catharine I legacy of Jacob Kimball, in tru estate of Hon. Luke Woodbur Dec. 5, 1850,	July 10, 1849, 400 00 Fisk, in trust, 3,919 67
Amount of indebtedness, Deduct available funds, viz: cash in	\$75,731 67
the Treasury,	\$7,994 54

Amount of indebtedness above available funds, \$66,195 08

1,542 05

9,536 59

On motion of Mr. Shannon—
Resolved, That the foregoring report be accepted.
On motion of Mr. Shannon—

Resolved, That the foregoing report, with the accompanying statement of the Treasurer's accounts, lie upon the table, and that the clerk be directed to procure one hundred and fifty printed copies thereof for the use of the Senate.

Mr. Freeman gave notice that on to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, he will ask leave to introduce a bill relative to school district and associated high school district meetings and the raising of money for the support of high schools; also a bill to repeal chapter 492 of the pamphlet laws.

On motion of Mr. Williamson—
The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives are ready

to meet the Honorable Senate in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of this State."

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the Senate now meet the House of Representatives in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of this State.

IN CONVENTION. and more all appropriate the state of the

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention, in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of this State—

On motion of Mr. Hoitt, of the Senate-

Resolved, That the Convention proceed to the choice, by ballot, of Secretary of State.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of

the vote, as follows:

The whole number of votes cast, is	284
Necessary for a choice,	143
Edson Hill has	143
John E. Bickford has in lo noito	00
Moses A. Cartland has	35
William H. Hackett has	81
JOHN L. HADLEY has	165
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—and John L. Hadley was accordingly declared constitutionally elected Secretary of State.

On motion of Mr. Knowlton of Hopkinton, of the House— Resolved, That the Convention now proceed to the choice, by ballot, of State Treasurer.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote as follows:

The whole number of votes cast is	283
Necessary for a choice,	142
George P. Folsom has	2
William A. White has	28
Abel H. Bellows has	00

167 Edson Hill has -and Edson Hill was accordingly declared constitutionally elected State Treasurer.

On motion of Mr. Harriman of Warner, of the House-Resolved, That the Convention now proceed to the choice

by ballot of Public Printer.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state

of the vote as follows:	Join pm
The whole number of votes cast is	283
Necessary for a choice,	142
Edson Hill has	1
Cyrus Barton has VOITVAIVAGO AI	1
Albin Beard has	3
John H. Goodale has	29
McFarland & Jenks have	85
BUTTERFIELD & HILL have	164
and Rutterfield & Hill were accordingly declared	consti

tutionally elected State Printers.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, of the House-The Convention rose; whereupon the Senate returned to their chamber.

IN SENATE.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, June 9, 1852.

The Clerk was proceeding with the reading of the journal of yesterday, when, On motion of Mr. Taylor and to redenun elodw od I

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the reading of so much of the journal of yesterday as relates to the report of the committee to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer be dispensed with.

Mr. Bennett, from the committee on Education, to whom was referred so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to education, by leave reported a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Woodbury-

Resolved, That the returns of votes for Senators in the several senatorial districts in this State be referred to the

standing committee on Elections.

Mr. Williamson gave notice that he would on to-morrow, or some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill providing for the alteration of the times and places of holding the terms of the superior court.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Wheeler of Newport; Adams of Manchester and Marshall of Hooksett, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printers elect, and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept, to receive of them the bonds required by law and lay the same before the convention of the two houses, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid joint select committee to wait on the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printers elect, inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept, receive of them the bonds required by law and lay the same before the convention of the two houses.

Ordered, That Mr. Hoitt be joined to said committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Merrill—
The Senate adjourned.

e read a third time to-morrow

AFTERNOON.

Agreeably to previous notice, and by leave, Mr. Freeman introduced a bill, entitled "An act to repeal chapter 862 of the pamphlet laws;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Agreeably to previous notice, and by leave, Mr. Freeman introduced a bill, entitled "An act relating to school district meetings and the raising of money for the support of high schools;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Shannon—

Resolved, That a bill, entitled "An act regulating the appointment of agents in mutual insurance companies," and the following resolutions, to wit: a resolution relating to the erection of a building for a library room, and to receive and preserve the standard weights and measures; and a resolution in favor of providing for the safety of the Asylum for the Insane, which were postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the Legislature, be referred to the committee on Unfinished Business.

Ordered, That Mr. Hoitt be joined to said committee

On motion of Mr. Woodbury—
The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, JUNE 10, 1852.

Mr. Freeman, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom were referred sundry bills and resolutions postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the

Legislature, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act regulating the appointment of agents in mutual insurance companies;" also a resolution relating to the erection of a building for a library room and to receive and preserve the standard weights and measures; also a resolution in favor of providing for the safety of the Asylum for the Insane, which were postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the Legislature, be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Rix-

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn this morning, it adjourn to meet again to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Rix-

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, June 11, 1852.

Mr. Whittemore, from the joint standing committee on Engrossed Bills, reported that said committee have appointed William P. Hill of Concord, Engrossing Clerk of the Legislature for the present year.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That said report be accepted.

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On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That bills with the following titles, postponed by the Senate of the last session to the present session of the Legislature, be referred to the committee on Unfinished Business, to wit:

"An act for the promotion of agriculture, mechanism and

the domestic arts;"

"An act for electing County School Commissioners by the people;"

"An act in amendment of chapter eight hundred and forty-six of the laws of this State, approved July 6, 1849;"

"An act to incorporate the New Hampshire Life Insurance Company at Manchester;"

"An act in amendment of an act, entitled 'An act to incorporate the Grafton Railroad,' passed July 2, 1847;"

"An act authorizing certain corporations to aid in constructing the Great Falls and Conway Railroad, and the Great Falls and South Berwick Branch Railroad;"

"An act to incorporate the Milford Bank;"

"An act to incorporate the President, Directors and com-

pany of the Grafton Bank."

Mr. Hoitt, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom were referred sundry bills and resolutions postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the Legislature, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act for electing county school commissioners by the people," be referred to

the committee on Education.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Mr. Hoitt, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act for the promotion of agriculture, mechanism and the domestic arts," postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the Legislature, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act for the promotion of agriculture, mechanism and the domestic arts," be referred to the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures."

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Mr. Freeman, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom were referred sundry bills and resolutions, postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the Legislature, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That bills with the following titles, postponed from the last session of the Legislature, be referred to the

committee on Banks, to wit:

"An act to incorporate the President, Directors and company of the Grafton Bank;"

"An act to incorporate the Milford Bank."

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Woodbury-

The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter seventythree of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid. Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have passed bills of the following titles and the following resolution, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate, to wit:

'An act to establish the place of filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad;'

'An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll;' A resolution in favor of James Ayers."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, in favor of James Ayers, sent up from the House of Representatives:

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, to wit: "An act to establish the place for filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Railroads.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, to wit: "An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn this afternoon, it adjourn to meet again to-morrow morning at eight o'clock.

Mr. Hoitt, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred a resolution in favor of James Ayers, by leave, reported the same without amendment.

On the question,

Shall the resolution be read a third time? The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have passed the accompanying resolutions, relating to the expediency of holding an adjourned session of the Legislature, and to the time when the business of the present session may be

brought to a close, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

The resolutions which accompanied the foregoing message

were as follows:

Resolved, That it is necessary to hold an adjourned session of the Legislature the present year, and that the same be holden on the third Wednesday (the seventeenth day) of November next.

Resolved, That the present session of the Legislature may be brought to a close on Saturday, the nineteenth day of

June, instant.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolutions, sent up from the House of Representatives.

Mr. Hoitt moved to amend the second resolution by striking out the words "Saturday the nineteenth" and inserting in the place thereof the words "Wednesday the sixteenth."

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

Resolved, That the resolutions lie upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

Resolved, That the resolutions relating to the expediency of holding an adjourned session of the Legislature and to the time when the business of the present session may be brought to a close, be now taken from the table and considered.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the resolutions

aforesaid.

After discussion by Messrs. Williamson and Rix, On motion of Mr. Williamson-Resolved, That the resolutions lie upon the table. On motion of Mr. Freemanni doolo'o ano 18 The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, JUNE 12, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-Resolved, That the resolutions sent up from the House of Representatives, relating to the expediency of holding an adjourned session of the Legislature and to the time when

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the business of the present session may be brought to a close, be taken from the table and considered.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the resolution

On the question of agreeing to the amendment proposed by Mr. Hoitt, to strike out the words "Saturday the nineteenth," and insert in the place thereof "Wednesday the sixteenth,"

The negative of the question prevailed.

So the amendment was rejected.

The question recurring upon the adoption of the resolutions, as sent up from the House of Representatives,

On the question of agreeing to the first resolution, to wit: Resolved, That it is necessary to hold an adjourned session of the Legislature the present year, and that the same be holden on the third Wednesday (the seventeenth day) of November next;

The affirmative of the question prevailed and the resolu-

On the question of agreeing to the second resolution, to wit:

Resolved, That the present session of the Legislature may be brought to a close on Saturday, the nineteenth day of June instant;

The affirmative of the question prevailed and the resolution passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

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Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn this forenoon, it adjourn to meet again on Monday next at four o'clock in the afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Williamson—
The Senate adjourned.

MONDAY, June 14, 1852.

Mr. Freeman, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to in-

corporate the New Hampshire Life Insurance Company at Manchester," postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the Legislature, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the New Hampshire Life Insurance Company at Manches-

ter," be feferred to the committee on Incorporations.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Grafton Railroad," passed July 2, 1847," postponed by the Senate from the last to the present session of the Legislature, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act entitled 'An act to incorporate the Grafton Railroad,' passed July 2, 1847," be referred to the committee on

Railroads.

On the question,
Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have on their part appointed Wednesday next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of proceeding in the election of Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General, agreeably to the provisions of the laws of this State, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On the question,

Will the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of Wednesday next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, as the time for proceeding in the election of Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

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On motion of Mr. Shannon—
The Senate adjourned.

TUESDAY, JUNE 15, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Rix-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that Mr. Rix have leave at this time to introduce a joint resolution repealing the joint resolution authorizing and providing for an exchange of legislative documents, approved Jan. 4, 1849.

Whereupon Mr. Rix introduced a joint resolution repealing the joint resolution authorizing and providing for exchange of legislative documents, approved Jan. 4, 1849;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Rix-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Merrill, from the committee on Railroads, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to establish the place for filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Freeman introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk be requested to procure for the use of the Senate, four copies of the pamphlet laws of each session of the Legislature since the November session of 1842.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Tuttle-

Coal at any The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

[Mr. Taylor in the chair.]

On motion of Mr. Whittemore-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended that Mr. Whittemore have leave at this time to introduce a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter thirtythree of the Revised Statutes."

Whereupon Mr. Whittemore introduced a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter thirty-three of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Elections.

Mr. Bennett, from the committee on Education, to whom was referred so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the subject of education, by leave, reported a bill, entitled "An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled 'An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the Senate now take a recess of thirty minutes.

TEN MINUTES BEFORE FOUR O'CLOCK, P. M.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-The Senate adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, June 16, 1852.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in the passage of the bill, entitled 'An act in amendment of chapter 73 of the Revised Statutes.'

The House of Representatives have passed bills of the

following titles, to wit:

'An act concerning truant children;'

'An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske for the benefit of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane;' in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act concerning truant children;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Education.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Reresentatives, entitled "An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske for the benefit of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary. Mr. Woodbury, from the committee on Elections, to whom were referred the returns of votes for Senators from the several senatorial districts in the State, by leave made the following

REPORT:

The standing committee on Elections, to whom were referred the returns of votes for Senators from the several senatorial districts, have examined and compared the same with the records in the office of the Secretary of State, and have instructed me to report that they find the result to be as follows:

PETER P. WOODBURY, for the committee.

District No. 1.

The whole number of votes returned is	3398
Necessary to a choice,	1700
Estimated as scattering,	86
Moses A. Cartland has	1557
ALFRED HOITT has	1755
and is elected.	Necessi

District No. 2.

The whole number of votes returned is	4996
Necessary to a choice,	2499
Estimated as scattering,	53
George O. Hilton has	2383
John S. Wells has	2560
and is elected.	

District No. 3.

The whole number of votes returned is	6176
Necessary to a choice,	3089
Estimated as scattering,	end there
James Walker has	610
Daniel Clark has	2870
Peter P. Woodbury has	2687
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District No. 4.

The whole number of	votes returned is	5394
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	Necessary to a choice,	2698
	Estimated as scattering,	11
	Warren H. Smith has	759
	Nathan Stickney has	1841
	John S. Shannon has	2783
	and is elected.	
	District No. 5.	
	The whole number of votes returned is	5100
	Necessary to a choice,	2551
	Estimated as scattering,	2
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	Asa Freeman has	2658
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	District No. 6.	
	The whole number of votes returned is	6316
	Necessary to a choice,	3159
	Estimated as scattering,	11
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	Stephen Beede has	1824
	Bradbury C. Tuttle has	3653
	and is elected.	
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	District No. 7.	
	The whole number of votes returned is	4469
	Necessary to a choice,	2235
	Estimated as scattering,	16
	Leonard Chase has	262
	Edmund Parker has	2188
	Bernard B. Whittemore has	2003
	and there is no choice.	
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	District No. 8.	
	The whole number of votes returned is	4174
	Necessary to a choice,	2088
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	David Low has	1123

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the vote as follows:	

There are no returns of votes for Senators in the Secretary's office from the town of Kensington, in Senatorial District No. 2; also from the town of Sandwich, in Senatorial District No. 6; also from the town of Lincoln, in Senatorial District No. 12. In the return of votes from the town of Hampton Falls, in Senatorial District No. 1, Moses Cartland has 73 votes.

On motion of Mr., Williamson-

Resolved. That the foregoing report be accepted.

Mr. Woodbury, from the committee on Elections, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter thirty-three of the Revised Statutes," by leave reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon

at three o'clock.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives are now ready to meet the Honorable Senate in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the laws of this State."

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the Senate now meet the House of Representatives in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the laws of this State.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections agreeably to the laws of this State,

On motion of Mr. Taylor, of the Senate-

Resolved, That the Convention now proceed to the choice, by ballot, of Warden of the State Prison.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of

the vote as follows:

The whole number of votes cast, is 246
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Warden of the State Prison.
On motion of Mr. Collins of Francestown, of the House

Resolved, That the Convention now proceed to the choice, by ballot, of Commissary General.

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Commissary General.

On motion of Mr. Tuttle, of the Senate—

The Convention rose; whereupon the Senate returned to their Chamber.

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On motion of Freeman— of Marie adjourned.

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Shall the resolution pass?

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act in addition to an act passed July 3,

1845, entitled 'An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools;' "

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Resolved, 'That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid. Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

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Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

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Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

Mr. Hoitt, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter eight hundred and forty-six of the laws of this State, approved July 6, 1849," by leave, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be

indefinitely postponed.

On the question, Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed, and the further consideration of said bill was postponed accordingly. The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske, for the benefit of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow af-

ternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Whittemore, by leave, presented the following resolu-

Resolved, That the committee on Military Affairs be instructed to inquire into the expediency of so revising and amending the laws as to revive the militia, and report by bill or otherwise.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

The Senate adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 17, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the reading of so much of the journal of yesterday as relates to the report of the committee on Elections be dispensed with.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following resolutions, and bills of the following titles, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate, to wit:

A resolution in favor of indigent insane persons;

A resolution in favor of T. J. Whipple; A resolution in favor of Allen Smith;

A resolution in favor of Lancaster Academy;

A resolution relating to the distribution of the School Commissioners' Reports;

'An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;'
'An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company;'

'An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank;'
'An act to incorporate the Claremont Cutlery Company;'

'An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills;'

'An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation;'

'An act to repeal an act, entitled "An act to pay a bounty

for killing crows;",

'An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of

the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;'

'An act to repeal an act, entitled "An act for the further protection of personal liberty,' passed July 10, 1846.'"

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty for killing crows;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, 'That it be referred to the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be be referred to the committee on In-

corporations.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of a resolution in favor of indigent insane persons, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to incorporate the Claremont Cutlery Company;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incor-

porations.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incor-

porations.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the further protection of personal liberty,' passed July 10, 1846;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Mr. Williamson moved that the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

On the question,

Shall the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time?

Mr. Freeman called for the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays being ordered,

Those who voted in the affirmative were-

Messrs. Hoitt, Wells, Woodbury, Shannon, Tuttle, Whittemore, Taylor, Williamson, Merrill and Rix-10.

Those who voted in the negative were-

Messrs. Freeman and Bennett-2.

So the affirmative of the question prevailed.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of a resolution relating to the distribution of the report of the Board of Education, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Education.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of Allen Smith, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of the Lancaster Academy, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following resolutions and a bill with the following title, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate, to wit:

A resolution for printing the reports of the officers of the

Asylum for the Insane;

A resolution to revise and codify the laws of this State; 'An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct.' "

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, providing for a revision and codification of the laws of this State, sent up from the House of Represen-

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of a resolution diciary. providing for the printing of the reports of the officers of the Asylum for the Insane, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the select committee who have under consideration so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the Asylum for the Insane, to the State Prison and to a Reform School.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled

"An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct;"

be Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads,

Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Woodbury, from the joint standing committee on the State House and State House Yard, by leave, made the following

REPORT:

In many respects the State House and Yard, and the appurtenances and fixtures belonging thereto, are not in so good order of preservation as is desirable. The house needs many repairs and alterations which we do not propose to go into nor recommend for the action of the Legislature at the

present time. We believe that the day is not far distant when the building must have a large and thorough renovation, to meet the necessities of the State and the health and good order of the various occupants. It cannot be possible that legislators who assemble to enact laws for the good of the commonwealth shall be in danger of shortening life in consequence of the unhealthy and badly constructed building in which they meet.

The committee have directed a new pump to be erected where the present one now is, that one being nearly useless.

They have also directed the floors of the offices of the Secretary and Treasurer of State to be covered with oilcloth carpets. The floors in some parts of these rooms are so much worn as to oblige the occupant to change his position in order to get a safe or fair foothold.

We have directed a small alteration to be made in the arrangement of the desk in the Treasurer's office, which is very desirable to the convenience of the Treasurer.

We have also directed that at a suitable time a few forest trees shall be set out in the places of those that have died, and that all the trees be better managed as to agricultural

William Fisk, the present Keeper of the State House and State House Yard, declines a re-election; therefore the committee have directed me to report the following resolution:

PETER P. WOODBURY, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That Joel Frazier be appointed keeper of the State House and State House Yard for the ensuing political year. On motion of Mr. Bennett- 1 mon grandboo

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, reported by the committee on the State House and State House Yard:

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Rix-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspend-

ed as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof, and ask their concurrence therein.

Mr. Bennett, from the committee on Education, to whom was referred the resolution providing for the distribution of the report of the Board of Education, by leave reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That it be read a third time this afternoon at

three o'clock.

Mr. Tuttle, from the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty for killing crows,'" by leave reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a time this afternoon at

three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Woodbury—
The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

resentatives in Convention, for the purpose of hearing the

[Mr. Bennett in the chair.]

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty for killing crows;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske for the benefit of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the resolution relating to the distribution of the report of the Board of Education:

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives are now ready to meet the Honorable Senate in Convention, for the purpose of hearing the report of the joint committee appointed to wait upon the Secretary of State, State Treasurer, and Public Printer, and receive of them the customary bonds."

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the Senate now meet the House of Representatives in Convention, for the purpose of hearing the report of the joint committee appointed to wait upon the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printer, and receive of them the customary bonds.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of hearing the report of the joint committee appointed to wait upon the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printers elect and receive of them the customary bonds.

Mr. Hoitt of the Senate, from the committee appointed to wait on the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printers elect, inform them of their election, and receive of them the customary bonds, made the following report :15311

The joint select committee to wait on the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printers elect, inform them of their election, and receive of them the bonds required by law, have attended to the duty assigned them. The said officers have respectively signified their acceptance of the offices, and have furnished the customary bonds, which are herewith submitted.

ALFRED HOITT, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. Taylor, of the Senate-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted, and that the bonds of the Secretary of State be deposited in the office of the State Treasurer, and that the bonds of the State Treasurer and Public Printers be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State.

On motion of Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth, of the House— The Convention rose; whereupon the Senate returned to

their chamber.

IN SENATE.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Moses of Portsmouth, Flanders of Manchester and Tuttle of Nottingham, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon the Warden and Commissary General elect and inform them of their election, and if they accept of said offices, to receive of them the customary bonds, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid committee to wait upon the Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General elect, inform them of their election, and if they accept, to receive of them the customary bonds.

Ordered, That Mr. Hoitt be joined to said committee

on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Hoitt, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred a resolution in favor of Allen Smith, by leave reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time to-mor-

row afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a resolution relating to a revision of the laws of this State, by leave reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," by leave reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be postponed to the adjourned session of the Legislature, to be holden on the 17th day of November next.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed, and the further consideration of said bill was postponed accordingly.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

Mr. Freeman, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Tuttle, from the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That the Senate now take a recess of twenty minutes.

TWENTY MINUTES PAST 4 O'CLOCK, P. M.

Mr. Rix, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed bills of the following titles and the following resolutions, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate, to wit:

'An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the

court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;'

'An act relating to the police of towns;'

'An act relating to repairs of the jail in the county of Strafford;'

'An act to incorporate the Coos Lumber Company;'

A resolution in relation to gun houses and gun house lands:

A resolution in favor of the Chaplain and library of the

State Prison."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act relating to the police of towns;"

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act relating to repairs of the jail in the county of Strafford;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of a resolution in relation to gun houses and gun house lands, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Milita-

ry Affairs.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of a resolution in favor of the Chaplain and library of the State Prison, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the select committee who have under consideration so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the State Prison, the Insane Asylum, and a Reform School.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to incorporate the Coos Lumber Company;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incor-

porations.

Mr. Whittemore, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a resolution in favor of indigent insane persons, by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow after-

noon at three o'clock.

Mr. Shannon, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow after-

Mr. Whittemore, from the select committee on so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the Insane Asylum, to the State Prison, and to a State Reform School, to whom was referred a resolution providing for printing and distributing the reports of the officers of the Asylum for the Insane, by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow after-

noon at three o'clock.

Mr. Whittemore, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

by leave, made the following report:

The joint committee on Engrossed Bills, report that they have carefully examined, and find to be correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles, to wit:

"An act to establish the place for filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad;"

"An act in amendment of chapter seventy-three of the

Revised Statutes;"

"An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll."

B. B. WHITTEMORE, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn this evening, it adjourn to meet again to-morrow morning at half past ten o'clock.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in the passage of the bill, entitled 'An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled "An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools."

The House of Representatives have passed the following address, to wit: 'An address for the removal of certain officers therein named," in which they ask the concurrence of

the Honorable Senate."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing address for the removal of certain officers therein named; Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Woodbury-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of the foregoing address.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton," by leave, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed bills of the following titles, reported to have been carefully examined and correctly engrossed by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to wit:

'An act to establish the place for filing the list of stock-holders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad;'

'An act in amendment of chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes:'

'An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll.'"

Thereupon the President of the Senate signed the foregoing bills and resolutions, they having been reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills to be correctly engrossed, and the same were delivered to said committee to be by them presented to the Governor for his approval and signature.

On motion of Mr. Whittemore—

The Senate adjourned.

FRIDAY, June 18, 1852.

The Clerk was proceeding with the reading of the journal of yesterday, when,

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the further reading of the journal of yesterday be

dispensed with.

Mr. Whittemore, from the select committee on so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the Asylum for the Insane, to the State Prison and a Reform School, to whom was referred a resolution in favor of the Chaplain and library of the State Prison, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time this af-

ternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Hoitt, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred a resolution in relation to gun-houses and gun-house lands, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time this

afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Taylor, from the committee on Banks, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank," reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon

at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Taylor, from the committee on Banks, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Milford Bank;" also a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the President, Directors and company of the Grafton Bank," reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bills be

postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

On the question,

Shall the resolution be adopted?

The affirmative of the question prevailed, and the further consideration of said bills was postponed accordingly.

Mr. Whittemore, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

made the following report:

The joint committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined and find correctly engrossed bills

with the following titles, to wit:

"An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entititled 'An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools;"

"An act to repeal an act entitled 'An act for the further protection of personal liberty,' passed July 10, 1846;"

"An act relating to the police of towns."

B. B. WHITTEMORE, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. Shannon—
Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed bills with the following titles, reported to have been carefully examined and correctly engrossed by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to wit:

'An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled "An act to authorize contiguous school district to associate

together to establish and maintain high schools;"'

'An act to repeal an act entitled "An act for the further protection of personal liberty," passed July 10, 1846;

'An act relating to the police of towns.'"

Whereupon the President of the Senate signed the foregoing bills, they having been reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills to have been correctly engrossed, and the same were delivered to the said committee, to be by them delivered to the Governor for his approval and signature.

Mr. Tuttle, from the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act for the promotion of agriculture, mechanism and domestic arts,"

reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be postponed to the November session of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the bill and resolution lie upon the table.

Mr. Whittemore, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred the resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple, reported the same without amendment.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time this af-

ternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Merrill, from the committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills," by leave, reported the same with the fol-

lowing amendment:

Add the following words to the end of the 5th section of the bill—"and the corporation thereby created shall be subject to all the provisions of the general laws of this State relative to corporations."

On the question,

Shall the bill be thus amended?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon

at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Rix-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed a resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow a certain sum of money, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forego-

ing resolution, sent up from the House of Representatives, authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow a certain sum of money;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following resolution, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate, to wit:

A resolution to authorize His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of the Council, to appoint delegates to a Convention to assemble in Independence Hall, on the fourth of July, 1852."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, sent up from the House of Representatives, to wit: a resolution to authorize His Excellency the Governor to appoint delegates to a Convention to assemble in Independence Hall, on the 4th of July, 1852;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that all bills in order for a third reading at three o'clock this afternoon, be in order for a third reading at the present time.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the

resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

Which was read a third time.

Resolved. That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the resolution in relation to gun houses and gun house lands;

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the resolution in favor of the Chaplain and library of the State Prison;

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid. Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid. Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the resolution providing for a revision and codification of the laws of the State;

Which was read a third time.

Mr. Rix moved that the further consideration of the resolution be postponed to the next annual session of the Legislature.

On the question,

Shall the further consideration of the resolution be thus postponed?

The negative of the question prevailed.

Mr. Hoitt moved that the resolution be put upon its second reading for the purpose of amendment.

On the question,

Shall the bill be put upon its second reading for the purpose of amendment?

A division being called for and ordered, four Senators rose in the affirmative and six Senators rose in the negative.

So the negative of the question prevailed.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the resolution in favor of Allen Smith;

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representa-

tives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the resolution in favor of indigent insane persons;

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the order of the day upon the resolution providing for the printing of the reports of the officers of the Asylum for the Insane;

Which was read a third time. padd to avalenting out

Resolved, That it pass. For early fled blos to nother themes

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Shannon— various and on fist and he The Senate adjourned. The Senate adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

heiden on the 17th day of November next.

Mr. Whittemore, from the joint committee on Engrossed

Bills, by leave made the following report:

The committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined and find correctly engrossed the following bills and resolutions, to wit:

"An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske, for

the benefit of the N. H. Asylum for the Insane;"

"An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty for killing crows;"

An address in favor of the removal of certain officers there-

in named;

A resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow a certain sum of money;

A resolution relating to the distribution of the School Commissioners' report.

B. B. WHITTEMORE, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act relating to school district meetings and the raising of money for the support of high schools," by leave reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the adjourned session of the Legislature, to be

holden on the 17th day of November next.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed, and the further

consideration of said bill was postponed accordingly.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act relating to repairs of the jail in the county of Strafford," by leave reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the adjourned session of the Legislature, to be

holden on the 17th day of November next.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed, and the further

consideration of said bill was postponed accordingly.

Mr. Williamson, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act regulating the appointment of agents in mutual insurance companies," by leave reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the adjourned session of the Legislature, to be

holden on the 17th day of November next.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed, and the further consideration of said bill was postponed accordingly.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President - The House of Representatives have passed a resolution to provide for an examination of the charges made against the Cochecho Bank, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of a resolution sent up from the House of Representatives, to wit: a resolution to provide for an examination of the charges made against the Cochecho Bank.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of the aforesaid resolution.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have passed bills of the following titles and the following resolution, to wit:

'An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling

shops :'

'An act making appropriations for the militia of this State for the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two;'

'An act in addition to an act to incorporate David Drake and his associates into a religious society by the name of the First Freewill Anti-Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield and its vicinity;

A resolution providing for the compensation of the Chaplain of the House; in which they ask the concurrence of

the Honorable Senate."

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have passed the following resolutions:

A resolution in favor of I. R. Philbrick and others;

A resolution in favor of McFarland & Jenks and others; A resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple; in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in the passage of a resolution appointing a keeper of the State House and State House Yard."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a first and second time by its title.

The bill was then read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Whittemore—

Resolved, That the bill lie upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Whittemore-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that he have leave at this time to introduce a joint resolution.

Mr. Whittemore then introduced a joint resolution relating to the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops," said resolution providing that the sense of the people of the State upon the expediency of the passage of said bill be taken before the enactment thereof.

The resolution was then read a first and second time.

Mr. Bennett moved that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

On the question,

Shall the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed?

Mr. Freeman called for the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays being ordered,

Those who voted in the affirmative were-

Messrs. Freeman and Bennett-2.

Those who voted in the negative were—

Messrs. Hoitt, Wells, Woodbury, Shannon, Tuttle, Whittemore, Taylor, Williamson, Merrill, Rix-10.

So the negative of the question prevailed.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof and ask their concurrence therein.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, sent up from the House of Representatives, providing for the compensation of the Chaplain of the House;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, in favor of Thomas J. Whipple, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Reresentatives, entitled "An act making appropriations for the militia of this State for the year 1852;"

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, Thas the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid. Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of McFarland & Jenks and others, sent up from the House of Representatives:

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of Ira R. Philbrick and others, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act in addition to an act to incorporate David Drake and his associates into a religious society by the name of the First Freewill Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield and its vicinity;"

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following resolutions, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate, to wit:

A resolution in favor of the town of Lincoln;

A resolution in favor of indigent deaf and dumb persons;

A resolution in favor of Edson Hill and another;

A resolution in favor of William Fisk;

A resolution in favor of David Watson and others;

A resolution in favor of Daniel A. Hill;

A resolution in favor of William L. Foster and another: A resolution relating to the distribution of the report of

the Board of Education;

A resolution relating to the State Prison; A resolution in favor of Pinkham's Grant;

A resolution to provide for the contingent expenses of the State."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution to provide for the contingent expenses of the State, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, sent up from the House of Representatives, relating to the State Prison;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Merrill-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of William L. Foster and another, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspend-

ed as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, sent up from the House of Representatives, relating to the distribution of the report of the Board of Education;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of Pinkham's Grant, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads,

Bridges and Canals.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of Daniel A. Hill, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Whittemore-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of David Watson and another, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of William Fisk, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of Edson Hill and another, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of indigent deaf and dumb persons, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of the town of Lincoln, sent up from the House of Representatives; Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives concur with the Honorable Senate in their amendment to the bill, entitled 'An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills.'"

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the following resolutions, and bills of the following titles, to wit:

A resolution in favor of Horace Langley;

A resolution relating to the codification of the statute laws of this State;

'An act to alter the names of certain persons;'

'An act to amend the charter of the Wilton Railroad Company;'

'An act in amendment of chapter one thousand and nine-

ty-five of the laws of this State;'

'An act in addition to an act, entitled "An act to provide a mode of adjustment of the terms of connection between railroads," approved July 5th, 1851;'

'An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improve-

ment Company;

'An act in addition to the 4th section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;' in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act in addition to the 4th section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

The bill was then read a third time. On motion of Mr. Bennett— Resolved, That the bill lie upon the table.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives are now ready to meet the Honorable Senate in Convention, for the purpose of receiving the report of the joint select committee appointed to wait on the Warden of the State Prison and the Commissary General and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept the same, to receive of them the customary bonds, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Taylor—

Resolved, That the Senate now meet the House of Representatives in Convention, for the purpose aforesaid.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention, in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of receiving the report of the joint select committee appointed to wait upon the Warden of the State Prison and the Commissary General,

Mr. Hoitt of the Senate, from the aforesaid committee,

made the following report:

The joint select committee appointed to wait on the Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General elect, and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept, to receive of them the bonds required by law, and lay the same before the convention of the two houses, have instructed me to report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and those gentlemen have signified their acceptance of the respective offices to which they have been elected, and furnished satisfactory bonds, which are herewith respectfully submitted.

ALFRED HOITT, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggin of Dover, of the House— Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted, and that the bonds of the Warden of the State Prison and of the Commissary General be deposited in the office of the Secretary of State.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan, of the House-

The Convention rose; whereupon the Senate returned to their chamber.

IN SENATE.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of Horace Langley, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution, sent up from the House of Representatives, relating to codification of the statute laws of the State:

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that it be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.
Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company :"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter one thousand and ninety-five of the laws of this State;"

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid. Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to amend the charter of the Wilton Railroad Company;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act in addition to an act, entitled 'An act to provide a mode of adjustment of the terms of connection between railroads,' approved July 5, 1851;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-roads.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act to alter the names of certain persons."

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the bill be read a first and second time by its title.

The bill was then read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed bills of the following titles, the following resolutions, and the following address, reported to have been carefully examined and correctly engrossed, by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to wit:

'An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske for the benefit of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane;'

'An act to repeal an act, entitled "An act to pay a bounty for killing crows;",

A resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow a certain sum of money;

A resolution relating to the distribution of the School

Commissioners' Report:

An address in favor of the removal of certain officers therein named."

Thereupon the President of the Senate signed the foregoing bills and resolutions, and the foregoing address, they having been reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills to have been carefully examined and correctly engrossed, and the same were then delivered to said committee, to be by them presented to His Excellency the Governor for his approval and signature.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act in addition to the fourth section of chapter one hundred and forty-two of the Revised Statutes," be now taken from the table and considered.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill aforesaid.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid. Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the Senate now take a recess of twenty minutes.

HALF PAST FIVE O'CLOCK P. M.

Mr. Shannon, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company," by leave reported the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Williamson-

Resolved, That the Senate now take a recess until half past seven o'clock this evening.

HALF PAST SEVEN O'CLOCK P. M.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have indefinitely postponed the joint resolution from the Honorable Senate relating to the bill, entitled 'An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops.'"

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have passed the bill, entitled 'An act in relation to houses of correction,' in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, sent up from the House of Representatives, entitled "An act in relation to houses of correction;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

Mr. Bennett moved that the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops," be now taken from the table and considered.

On the question,

Shall the bill aforesaid be taken from the table and considered?

Mr. Bennett called for the yeas and nays.

The yeas and nays being ordered- '

Those who voted in the affirmative, were-

Messrs. Freeman and Bennett-2.

Those who voted in the negative, were-

Messrs. Hoitt, Wells, Woodbury, Shannon, Tuttle, Whittemore, Taylor, Williamson, Merrill, and Rix-10.

So the negative of the question prevailed, and the Senate

refused to take the said bill from the table.

Mr. Williamson asked the unanimous consent of the Senate to introduce a resolution.

Leave being granted—

Mr. Williamson introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate of New Hampshire, That the original printed bill, now lying upon the table of the Senate, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops," including the amendment thereto respecting adulterated liquors, be postponed to the November session of the Legislature, and that the Clerk of the Senate cause the same to be published, together with this resolution, in all the newspapers authorized to publish the laws of this State, and that the selectmen of the several towns and places in this State are hereby requested to insert an article in the warrant, calling the town meeting for the choice of Electors of President and Vice President of the United States, on the first Tuesday of November next, to take the sense of the legal voters, by ballot, upon the following question, which shall be printed or written on said ballot, to wit: "Is it expedient that the bill, entitled 'An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops' be enacted into a law?" with the words "Yes," or "No," written or printed thereunder, and that the polls be opened and closed for that purpose at the same time they are opened and closed for receiving the votes for Electors, and that the votes for and against the enactment of such a law shall be received, sorted, counted, declared, certified and returned to the Secretary's office, in the same way and manner, and at the same time as the votes for Electors, and that the Secretary of State seasonably furnish suitable blanks for such returns to the clerks of the several towns and places in this State.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

Mr. Freeman called for the yeas and nays; Which being ordered, resulted as follows:

Yeas - Messrs. Hoitt, Wells, Woodbury, Shannon, Tuttle, Whittemore, Taylor, Williamson, Merrill, and Rix-10.

Nays—Messrs. Freeman and Bennett—2. So the affirmative of the question prevailed.

Mr. Williamson asked the unanimous consent of the Senate to introduce a resolution;

Which being granted-

Mr. Williamson introduced the following resolution:

Resolved by the Senate of New Hampshire, That the Clerk of the Senate be directed to furnish to each of the Justices of the Superior Court of Judicature, on or before the twentieth day of July, 1852, a copy of the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops," and that the said Justices be requested to furnish to the President of the Senate, on or before the seventeenth day of November, 1852, their written opinion as to the constitutionality of the provisions of said bill.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President-The House of Representatives have passed the following resolutions, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate, to wit: Management of

A resolution in favor of William P. Hill;

A resolution relating to the purchase of stationery and furniture."

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the forego-

ing resolution, relating to the purchase of stationery and furniture, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Bennett-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

The Senate proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing resolution in favor of William P. Hill, sent up from the House of Representatives;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Freeman-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act for the promotion of agriculture, mechanism and the domestic arts," be now taken from the table and considered.

The Senate resumed the consideration of the bill aforesaid; the question being upon the resolution reported by the committee on Agriculture and Manufactures, that the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the next November session of the Legislature.

On the question,

Shall the said resolution reported by said committee pass? The affirmative of the question prevailed, and the further consideration of said bill was postponed accordingly.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That when the Senate adjourn, it adjourn to meet again to-morrow morning at eight o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Rix-

The Senate adjourned.

SATURDAY, June 19, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the reading of the journal of yesterday be dispensed with.

Mr. Shannon, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred a resolution in favor of Pink-

ham's Grant, reported the same without amendment.

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, That the rules of the Senate be so far suspended as that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Representatives thereof.

Mr. Merrill, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, made

the following report:

The joint committee on Engrossed Bills, report that they have carefully examined and find correctly engrossed bills and resolutions with the following titles, to wit:

"An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank;"

"An act in addition to an act to incorporate David Drake and his associates into a religious society by the name of the First Freewill Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield and its vicinity;"

"An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills;"

A joint resolution to revise and codify the laws of this

State;

A joint resolution providing for the distribution of the reports of the Superintendent, Trustees and Board of Visitors of the Insane Asylum;

A joint resolution in favor of James Ayers; A joint resolution in favor of Allen Smith;

"An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company ;"

"An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improve-

ment Company;"

"An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of the N. H. Agricultural Society;"

"An act in amendment of chap. 1095 of the laws of this State :"

A joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint two delegates to a convention to be held in Independence Hall, Philadelphia, July 4, 1852, agreeably to an invitation extended by the authorities of that city;

A joint resolution appropriating two thousand dollars for the indigent insane;

A joint resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

A joint resolution appointing Joel Frazier keeper of the State House and State House Yard for the ensuing political

THOMAS MERRILL, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. Taylor-

Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

Mr. Whittemore, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

made the following report:

The joint committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined and find correctly engrossed bills with the following titles and sundry resolutions, to wit:

"An act to alter the names of certain persons;"

"An act making appropriations for the militia of this State for the year 1852;"

A resolution in favor of David Watson, B. Damon and

Horace Call;

A resolution in relation to the purchase of stationery and furniture for the use of the State;

A resolution in favor of the Chaplain of the House of Representatives;

A resolution in favor of Horace Langley;

A resolution in favor of McFarland & Jenks and Butterfield & Hill;

A resolution authorizing the Adjutant General to sell gunhouses, &c., no longer required for the use of the State;

A resolution appropriating \$2400 for indigent deaf and dumb;

A resolution in favor of William Fisk;

"An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct;"

"An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;" A resolution in favor of Daniel A. Hill;

A resolution appropriating \$500 for the contingent expenses of the State for the ensuing year;

A resolution in favor of I. R. Philbrick, David Harris and

E. Q. Fellows;

A resolution in favor of Edson Hill and J. Carter & Son; A resolution providing for the distribution of the report of the Board of Education;

A resolution in favor of the Chaplain of the State Prison,

&c.;

A resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

A resolution in favor of William L. Foster and Morrill & Silsby;

A resolution in favor of William P. Hill;

"An act in addition to the fourth section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;

A resolution relating to the charges against the Cochecho

Bank;

A resolution appropriating \$300 for a road through Pink-

ham's Grant;

A resolution authorizing the use of certain books from the State Library to the commissioners for codifying the laws:

A resolution appropriating \$1800 for repairs of the State

Prison.

B. B. WHITTEMORE, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. Hoitt—
Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed bills with the following titles and the following resolutions, reported to have been carefully examined and correctly engrossed by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to wit:

'An act to alter the names of certain persons;'

'An act making appropriations for the militia of this State for the year 1852;'

'An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct;'

'An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;'

'An act in addition to the fourth section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;'

A resolution in favor of David Watson, B. Damon and Horace Call;

A resolution in relation to the purchase of stationery and furniture for the use of the State;

A resolution in favor of the Chaplain of the House of Representatives;

A resolution in favor of Horace Langley;

A resolution in favor of McFarland & Jenks and Butter-field & Hill;

A resolution authorizing the Adjutant General to sell gunhouses, &c., not required for the use of the State;

A resolution appropriating twenty-four hundred dollars for the indigent deaf and dumb:

A resolution in favor of Daniel A. Hill;

A resolution appropriating five hundred dollars for the contingent expenses of the State for the ensuing year;

A resolution in favor of I. R. Philbrick, David Harris and E. Q. Fellows;

A resolution in favor of Edson Hill and J. Carter & Son; A resolution providing for the distribution of the report of the Board of Education;

A resolution in favor of the Chaplain of the State Prison, &c.;

A resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

A resolution in favor of William L. Foster and Morrill & Silsby;

A resolution in favor of W. P. Hill;

A resolution relating to the charges against the Cochecho Bank;

A resolution authorizing the use of certain books in the State Library to the commissioners for codifying the laws;

A resolution appropriating eighteen hundred dollars for repairs of the State Prison;

A resolution in favor of William Fisk."

Thereupon the President of the Senate signed the foregoing bills and resolutions, they having been reported by the joint committee on Engrossed Bills to have been carefully examined and found to be correctly engrossed, and the same were thereupon delivered to said committee, to be by them sented to His Excellency the Governor for his approval and signature.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their Clerk:

"Mr. President—The Speaker of the House of Representatives has signed bills of the following titles, and the following resolutions, reported to have been correctly engrossed by the committee on Engrossed Bills, to wit:

'An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank;'

'An act in addition to an act to incorporate David Drake and his associates into a religious society by the name of the First Freewill Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield and its vicinity;'

'An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills;'

'An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;'
'An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company;'

'An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of

the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;'

'An act in amendment of chapter one thousand and nine-

ty-five of the laws of this State;'

A joint resolution authorizing the Governor to appoint two delegates to a Convention in Independence Hall, Philadelphia, July 4, 1852;

A joint resolution appropriating two thousand dollars for

the indigent insane;

A joint resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

A joint resolution appointing Joel Frazier keeper of the State House and State House Yard;

A joint resolution to revise and codify the laws of this

State;

A joint resolution providing for the distribution of the reports of the Superintendent, Trustees and Board of Visitors of the Insane Asylum;

A joint resolution in favor of James Ayers; A joint resolution in favor of Allen Smith;

A resolution making an appropriation in favor of Pinkham's Grant Road."

Thereupon the President of the Senate signed the forego-

ing bills and resolutions, they having been reported by the committee on Engrossed Bills to have been carefully examined and found to be correctly engrossed, and the same were thereupon delivered to said committee, to be by them presented to His Exellcency the Governor for his approval and signature.

Mr. Rix, from the joint committee on the State Library,

made the following report:

The joint committee on the State Library herewith submit the report of the State Librarian. The committee have instructed me to report the following resolution.

JAMES M. RIX, for the committee.

Resolved, That the Clerk of the Senate be directed to cause the report of the State Librarian to be inserted in the appendix of the journal of the present session.

On the question,

Shall the resolution pass?

The affirmative of the question prevailed.

Mr. Whittemore, from the committee on Engrossed Bills,

made the following report:

The committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have presented to His Excellency the Governor, for his approval and signature, all the bills, resolutions, and the address, reported by them as having been correctly engrossed, which have received the signature of the Speaker of the House of Representatives and of the President of the Senate during the present session.

B. B. WHITTEMORE, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. Williamson—
Resolved, That the foregoing report be accepted.

The following message was received from the House of Representatives by their clerk:

"Mr. President—The House of Representatives have appointed Messrs. Moses of Portsmouth, Cole of Rochester, Conner of Sanbornton, Mason of Tamworth, Tennant of Allenstown, Adams of Manchester, Armstrong of Walpole, Parker of Lempster, Rogers of Orford, and Marshall of Stratford, a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on His Excellency the Gov-

ernor and inform him that the business of the present session being brought to a close, both branches of the Legislature are ready to adjourn to the seventeenth day of November next, in which they ask the concurrence of the Honorable Senate."

On motion of Mr. Shannon-

Resolved, 'That the Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of the aforesaid committee.

Ordered, That Messrs. Shannon and Freeman be joined

to said committee on the part of the Senate.

Ordered, That the Clerk notify the House of Represen-

tatives thereof.

Mr. Shannon, from the committee appointed to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him that the business of the present session being brought to a close, both branches of the Legislature are ready to be adjourned, reported that said committee had attended to the duty assigned them.

The following message from His Excellency the Governor was communicated to the Senate by the Secretary of State:

" To the Senate and House of Representatives:

Having signed all the bills, resolutions, and address, which you have passed at the present session of the Legislature, and presented for my approval, and having been informed by a committee of both branches of the Legislature that you have brought the business of the session to a close, and are now ready to be adjourned to the seventeenth day of November next, I do therefore adjourn the Legislature to the said seventeenth day of November next.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 19, 1852."

Thereupon the President of the Senate declared the Senate adjourned to the seventeenth day of November next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

WM. L. FOSTER, Clerk.

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WEDNESDAY, June 2, 1852.

A quorum of the whole number of representatives from the several towns and districts in the State of New Hampshire being assembled in the capitol in Concord, in said State, on the first Wednesday of June, 1852, His Excellency the Governor, attended by the Honorable Council, came into the Representatives' Hall, when the following gentlemen, having presented their credentials, were duly qualified as members of the House of Representatives, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution, namely:

From Rockingham County.

Atkinson—Amos H. Noyes.

Auburn—Andrew F. Fox.

Brentwood—Samuel Morrill.

Candia—Samuel Dudley.

Danville—Jonathan French.

Deerfield—Horatio G. Cilley, William Whittier.

Derry—Robert Chase, John Patten.

East Kingston—Benjamin L. Morrill.

Epping—George W. Plumer.

Exeter—Isaac Flagg, Orin Head, Nathaniel G. Perry.

Gosport—Richard G. Halev. Greenland-Edward Holmes.

Hampton-Thomas Ward.

Hampton Falls-Wells W. Healey.

Kingston—Samuel Hanson.

Londonderry—Charles Hurd, David R. Leach.

New Castle—George Vennard.

Newton-Richard Sargent.

Newington-Isaac Frink.

New Market—George W. Kittredge, Jonathan Garland.

North Hampton-Jonathan Lamprey.

Northwood—Benjamin J. Freese.

Nottingham-Daniel Tuttle. Plaistow—Joseph Noves.

Poplin—Benjamin P. Webster.

Portsmouth—Ward 1, Benjamin Cheever; Ward 2, Ichabod Bartlett, Wm. H. Y. Hackett, Jonathan Dearborn; Ward 3, Samuel W. Moses, Samuel Langdon.

Raymond—Edmund Whittier.

Rye-Jonathan Brown.

Salem-Moores Bayley.

Sandown-John Butler.

Seabrook-Elihu Dow, Jr.

South Hampton-James M. Jewell.

South New Market-Seneca C. Kennard.

Stratham—Mark Barker.

Windham-Jeremiah Morrison.

From Strafford County.

Dover-George P. Folsom, Silas Moody, Joseph Morrill, John H. Wiggins, William B. Wiggin, Joseph Hanson, 2d.

Durham-Moses H. Wiggin.

Farmington—Peter M. Horne, John Walker.

Lee—Nathaniel G. Davis.

Madbury-Robert Huckins.

Middleton—Charles French.

Milton—James Doldt, Ebenezer Osgood.

New Durham-Joseph Berry, Jr.

Rochester-James C. Cole, Stephen Shorey.

Rollinsford-Amos W. Pike.

Strafford-Joshua Roberts, Nathaniel Brock.

From Belknap County.

Alton-Charles C. Richardson, Samuel Woodman. Barnstead-William Jenkins, Jr., Thomas K. Proctor. Centre Harbor-John H. Moulton.

Gilford—John Tilton, Henry H. Sleeper.

Gilmanton-Ira Mooney, David B. Merrill, Reuben D. Tebbetts.

Meredith-Joseph P. Pitman, Noah Pease, Thomas Holland.

New Hampton-George W. Smith.

Sanbornton-Curtis Weeks, Oliver Barron, Joseph S. Connor.

From Carroll County.

Albany—Chester Parrish. Brookfield—Theophilus W. Lyford. Chatham—Eliphalet Weeks. Convay-Francis R. Chase. Eaton-King Atkinson. Effingham—Joshua L. Maloon. Freedom-Joseph Smith. Moultonborough—Charles W. Emery. Ossipee—Daniel Wentworth, Samuel J. Quarles. Sandwich—George Page, Charles Quimby. Tamworth—Ebenezer Wilkinson, Larkin D. Mason. Tuftonborough-John H. Piper. Wakefield—Ebenezer Garvin, Jr. Wolf borough-James Bickford, Henry B. Rust.

From Merrimack County.

Allenstown-John Tennant. Andover-E. G. Graves.

Boscawen-Abial Gerrish, Friend L. Burbank.

Bow—Archibald Stark.
Bradford—Moses E. Baxter.

Canterbury—Benjamin Whidden.

Chichester-Peter J. Hook.

Concord-Nathaniel White, Shadrach Seavey, Benjamin F. Gale, Nathan Chandler, Joseph Eastman, Caleb Parker.

Dunbarton—John C. Ray. Epsom—Ephraim Locke, Jr. Franklin—Austin F. Pike.

Henniker-James Straw, Oliver Pillsbury, Jr.

Hooksett-John Marshall.

Hopkinton-Horace C. Stanley, Francis P. Knowlton.

Loudon-Joseph C. Harper, Hamilton Holt.

Newbury-Jesse Carr.

New London-George W. Everett.

Northfield—David Dearborn. Pembroke—Norris Cochran.

Pittsfield-Jeremiah Clark, Noah W. Drake.

Salisbury—Currier Quimby. Sutton—Samuel Dresser, Jr.

Warner-Leonard Eaton, Henry H. Harriman.

Wilmot-Andrew Langley.

From Hillsborough County.

Antrim—Charles McKean.

Bedford-James Morrison, Thomas W. Moore.

Bennington—J. B. Parsons. Brookline—Benjamin Gould.

Deering-Freeman Dow.

Francestown—John M. Collins, Jr.

Goffstown-John Tewksbury, B. F. Blaisdell.

Greenfield—Hugh A. Abbott. Hancock—William Gray.

Hillsborough-Elisha Hatch, Mark W. Fuller.

Hollis—Almond D. Marshall. Hudson—William Warren.

Litchfield—Samuel Chase.

Lyndeborough—Ebenezer Russell.

Manchester—Ward 1, James C. Adams, T. T. Abbott; Ward 2, William Gray, Moses Corliss; Ward 3, William Hartshorn; Ward 4, Moses H. Clough, George M. Flanders; Ward 5, Thomas Hoyt, Jr., E. Bennett; Ward 6, Sewall Leavitt, John Calif.

Mason—Stephen Smith. Merrimack—John Eayrs.

Milford—Jacob Gove, Hiram A. Daniels.

Mont Vernon-Leander Smith.

Nashua-David Baldwin, Charles K. Whitney, Malachi

F. Dodge, Jr., Isaac Spalding, Thomas Pearson, Jr.

Nashville-Solomon R. Bullard, William S. Atwood.

New Boston-John Gregg.

New Ipswich-John Preston, Hosea Eaton.

Pelham-Joshua Atwood.

Peterborough-Samuel Miller, Daniel B. Cutter.

Sharon-Silas Sawyer.

Temple—George Whiting.

Weare-William H. Gove, Peter Dearborn.

Wilton-William Lane.

Windsor-James W. Perkins.

From Cheshire County.

Alstead-Samuel Morrison.

Chesterfield-Harvey Carleton, Samuel J. Partridge.

Dublin-Lovel Harris.

Fitzwilliam—Jonathan S. Adams.

Gilsum-Amasa May.

Hinsdale-William Haile.

Jaffrey-John Fox.

Keene-Levi Chamberlain, William S. Hutchins, Francis

A. Faulkner.

Marlborough-Benjamin Whitney, Jr.

Marlow-Alden Huntley.

Nelson-Milan Harris.

Richmond—Willard Randall.

Rindge-Jason B. Perry.

Roxbury - Earle Clark. Stoddard - Eliphalet Fox.

Sullivan-Thomas S. Norton.

Swanzey-Zadoc L. Taft, Luke Bennett.

Troy-Jotham H. Holt.

Walpole-Pelatiah Armstrong, David Fisher.

Westmoreland-Tileston A. Barker.

Winchester-James B. Turner, O. J. Humphrey.

From Sullivan County.

Acworth-Joseph G. Silsby.

Claremont-Sumner Putnam, Charles Young, Charles F.

Long.

Cornish—Joseph Wood.
Croydon—Pliny Hall.
Goshen—John Marston.
Grantham—Cyrus Smith.
Langdon—Robert Elwell.
Lempster—William B. Parker.
Newport—Edmund Wheeler, Ralph Metcalf.
Plainfield—James Gilkey.
Springfield—William Moran.
Sunapee—Joseph G. Tucker.
Unity—Ezra J. Glidden.
Washington—Solomon E. Jones.

From Grafton County.

Alexandria-Aiken Gilmore. Bath-John H. Carbee. Benton-Charles Whicher. Bethlehem-Timothy P. Turner. Bridgewater—David Hannaford. Bristol-Gilman Ingalls, jr. Canaan-William P. Weeks, James B. Wallace, Campton-Henry H. Southmayd. Danbury-Moses Eastman. Dorchester-Jacob Blaisdell. Ellsworth and Waterville-James Randall. Enfield—Daniel L. Smith, William Huse. Franconia-Moody Priest. Grafton-N. W. C. Davis. Groton-Willard Heath. Haverhill-Charles E. Thompson, Dudley C. Kimball. Hanover-David Eaton, Monroe Pike. Hebron-Jonathan Morse. Hill-Gilman Hersey. Holderness—Benjamin B. Worthen. Landaff-Sargent Moody. Lebanon-William S. Ela, Aaron H. Cragin. Lisbon—Levi Parker. Littleton-Francis Hodgman, Horace S. Goss. Lyme—Arthur Latham. Orange—Aaron Barney. Orford-John Rogers.

Piermont—Aaron P. Gould.
Plymouth—Seth Doton.
Rumney—Isaac Hadley.
Thornton—Albert Barnard.
Warren—William Pomroy.
Wentworth—J. Everett Sargent.
Woodstock and Lincoln—John Gray.

From Coos County.

Bartlett—Cornelius Stilphen.
Berlin and Milan—Hiram T. Ellingwood.
Carroll, Hart's Location and Crawford's Grant—Joseph

L. Gibb.

Colebrook—Lyman Lumbard. Columbia—Aaron C. Whipple. Dalton—Moses H. Rix.

Errol, Millsfield, Dixville and Cambridge—Elliot Har-

Jackson—Samuel Hazeltine.
Jefferson—Benjamin H. Plaisted.

Lancaster-George A. Cossitt.

Pittsburgh and Clarksvile—John T. Amy.

Shelburne, Gorham, Randolph, Green's Grant and Martin's Location—James C. Scates.

Stark and Dummer—Moses Jackson. Stewartstown—William B. Fletcher.

Stratford and Northumberland—Roberson S. Marshall. Whitefield—John M. Gove.

His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Council then witherew.

The House was called to order by T. J. Whipple, Clerk of the House last year.

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland—

The Hon. Ichabod Bartlett of Portsmouth was chosen chairman.

On motion of Mr. Glidden of Unity-

The House proceeded to ballot for choice of Speaker.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote, as follows:

Whole number of votes cast,	282
Necessary to a choice,	142
John Preston had	
T. A. Barker had	Marie and Charles of the Paris
Levi inamperiain had	
Francis R Chase had	
J. Everett Sargent had	
Wm. H. Y. Hackett had	3
William H. Gove had	29
Ichabod Bartlett had	91
George W. Kittredge had	153
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—and the Hon. George W. Kittredge was accordingly declared elected Speaker of the House of Representatives.

The Speaker on taking the chair addressed the House as follows:

Gentlemen of the House of Representatives :- Having been selected by your kind partiality, rather than for any merits of my own, to fill the chair of the Speaker of this House, I should do injustice to my own feelings if I did not express my profound acknowledgments for the honor you have done me. The chief object of my remarks, however, at the present time, is to throw myself upon your indulgence, and to ask your aid in discharging the arduous, and to me novel, duties which your generosity has cast upon me. If I did not feel assured of your co-operation and indulgence, I should decline to occupy a post of so much responsibility, and at times, of so much difficulty. But with the benefit of your assistance and generosity, I will accept the honor tendered to me, and will venture to hope to discharge the duties, if not to the satisfaction of all, at least impartially, and without detriment to the public business which our constituents have sent us here to do.

It is our happiness at this time to live in the seventy-sixth year of the independence of our State and of our common country. Our institutions of government have been matured and finished. They have stood the test of time and experience. It has been the just pride of New Hampshire, that while in some other States many months of each year have been consumed in a useless or worse than useless multiplication of laws, this State has found a period of a few weeks

amply sufficient for all the legislation wanted by the people,

as is abundantly proved by our actual condition.

Our schools and seminaries of learning, the morals of the people, and their great interests, agricultural, manufacturing, and, to a small extent, commercial, all show that the general course of legislation in this State has been such that we ought to consider our ambition satisfied, if we can continue in the same course. And I sincerely hope that when we arrive at the end of the present session, we may feel assured

of having done this.

Once more, gentlemen, I would throw myself upon your kind indulgence and assistance, and I ask the benefit of the experience of each individual member of the House, not only to aid me in the discharge of my own duties, but more especially for the dispatch of public business, so that whatever we do may be well done, and that we may return to our constituents after the short time we shall be together, with that solid claim to their approbation which springs from the pleasing assurance in our own breasts that we have endeavored faithfully to serve our State and our country.

On motion of Mr. Stanley of Hopkinton-

The House proceed to ballot for the choice of Clerk.

On the first balloting the Speaker announced the state of the vote, as follows:

Whole number of votes cast,	277
Necessary to a choice,	139
George W. Kittredge had	1
David P. Perkins had	2
M. W. Tappan had	19
C. H. Bell had	95
THOMAS J. WHIPPLE had	160

—and Thomas J. Whipple was accordingly declared elected Clerk of the House of Representatives.

On motion of Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth-

Resolved, That Ellery A. Hibbard is elected as the As-

sistant Clerk of the House of Representatives.

Thomas J. Whipple and Ellery A. Hibbard severally appeared and were duly sworn to the faithful discharge of their duties as Clerk and Assistant Clerk of the House of Representative, and entered upon their duties.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That information be given to the Honorable Senate that the House of Representatives have assembled, have chosen Hon. George W. Kittredge, Speaker, Thomas J. Whipple, Clerk, Ellery A. Hibbard, Assistant Clerk, and are now ready to proceed to the business of the session.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that the Senate have assembled, have chosen Hon. John S. Wells, President, Wm. L. Foster, Clerk, George C. Williams, Assistant Clerk, and are now ready to proceed to the business of the session."

On motion of Mr. Rust of Wolfborough-

Resolved, That the rules of the House for the last session be adopted as the rules of the House until otherwise ordered.

On motion of Mr. Rust of Wolfborough-

Resolved, That the joint rules of the two branches of the Legislature for the year 1851 be adopted as the joint rules of the two Houses for the present year until otherwise ordered.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth-

Resolved, That the Speaker and Clerk be and they hereby are authorized and requested to make such arrangements, in the Hall, for the better accommodation of the Reporters, as they shall judge proper.

Mr. Gove of Milford introduced the following resolution: Resolved, That the House do now proceed, by lot, to as-

sign seats to the several members thereof.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the negative. So the resolution was rejected.

Mr. Grey of Manchester introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be directed to procure a copy of each of the daily papers published in Concord during the present session of the Legislature, for the use of each member of the House.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland moved that the resolution

be indefinitely postponed.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to indefinitely postpone the resolution.

The question recurred, Shall the resolution pass?

Mr. Metcalf moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words, "each of the daily papers," and inserting the words, "the Daily Patriot and the Daily Statesman," instead

Mr. Chase of Conway moved that the resolution with the

amendment be laid on the table.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to lay the resolution upon the table.

The question recurred,

Will the House agree to the amendment proposed by Mr. Metcalf of Newport, to strike out the words, "each of the daily papers," and insert the words, "the Daily Patriot and Daily Statesman," instead thereof?

Mr. Preston of New Ipswich moved to amend the amendment by adding after the word "Statesman," the words,

"and Daily Crusader."

On this question,

Mr. Chase of Conway demanded the yeas and nays.

Before the question was put,

Mr. Wheeler of Newport moved that the resolution with the amendments be indefinitely postponed.

On this question,

Mr. Doton of Plymouth Demanded the yeas and nays; Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs.-

Noyes of Atkinson, Whittier of Deerfield, Fox of Auburn, Hanson of Kingston,

Vennard, Frink, Sargent of Newton, Lamprey, Freese. Tuttle. Noyes of Plaistow, Webster, Bartlett of Portsmouth, Langdon, Whittier of Raymond, Brown, Bayley, Butler, Walker of Farmington, Davis of Lee, French of Middleton, Berry, Richardson, Jenkins, Moulton, negamoinglossred Sleeper, Merrill, Tebbetts, Androw edit Pitman, Pease, Holland, Smith of New Hampton, Weeks of Sanbornton, Barron, Connor, and agree of the Parrish, Lyford, Chase of Conway, Atkinson, Meloon, Smith of Freedom, Emery, Quarles, Page,

Wilkinson, Mason, Garvin, Bickford, Rust, Tennant, Graves, Gerrish, Burbank, Stark, Baxter, millioned and Manie Whidden, Hook, White, Seavey, Chandler, Eastman of Concord, Parker of Concord, Ray, Locke, Pike of Franklin, Marshall of Hooksett, Stanley, Knowlton, Holt, Carr, Dearborn of Northfield, Cochran, Clark of Pittsfield, Drake, Quimby of Salisbury, Dresser, Eaton of Warner, Harriman, Langley, McKean, Moore, Parsons, Wentworth, Gould of Brookline, Dow of Deering, Abbott of Greenfield, Quimby of Sandwich, Grey of Hancock,

Hatch, Fuller, Marshall of Hollis, Warren, Chase of Litchfield, Russell, Clough, Eayrs, Smith of Mont Vernon, Gregg, Atwood of Pelham, Miller, Cutter. Sawyer, Whiting, Gove of Weare, Dearborn of Weare, Lane, Perkins, Morrison of Alstead, Carleton, Partridge, Chamberlain, Huntley, Randall of Richmond, Fox of Stoddard, Taft. Bennett of Swanzey, Armstrong, Fisher, Barker of Westmoreland, Silsby, Wood, Hall, Marston, Smith of Grantham, Parker of Lempster, Wheeler, Metcalf,

Gilkey,

Moran,

Tucker,

Glidden, Jones, Gilmore, Carbee, Turner of Bethlehem, Hanaford. Southmayd, Weeks of Canaan, Eastman of Danbury, Randall of Ellsworth, Huse, Priest, Davis of Grafton, Heath, Eaton of Hanover, Pike of Hanover, Kimball, Morse, Hersey, Moody of Landaff, Parker of Lisbon, Hodgman, Barney, Gould of Piermont, Doton, Hadley, Barnard, Pomroy, Sargent of Wentworth, Grey of Woodstock, Stilphen, Ellingwood, Gibb, Lumbard, Whipple, Rix, Harper of Errol, Hazeltine, Plaisted, Cossitt, Amy, Scates,

Jackson, Fletcher, Marshall of Stratford, Gove of Whitefield.

Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs .-

Morrill of Brentwood, Dudley, Cilley, Chase of Derry, Patten, Plumer. Flagg, Head, Perry of Exeter, Haley, Holmes, Ward, Healey, Hurd, Leach. Garland. Hackett. Dearborn of Portsmouth, Moses, Dow of Seabrook, Jewell. Kennard. Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windsor, Moody of Dover, Morrill of Dover, J. H. Wiggins, W. B. Wiggin, Hanson of Dover, Wiggin of Durham, Horne, Huckins, Doldt, Osgood, Cole, Shorey,

Pike of Rollinsford.

Roberts. Brock, Woodman, Tilton, Mooney, Piper, Gale, Straw, Pillsbury, Everett. Morrison of Bedford, Collins, Tewksbury, Blaisdell of Goffstown, Adams of Manchester, Abbott of Manchester, Grey of Manchester, Corliss, Hartshorn, Flanders, Hoyt, Bennett of Manchester, Leavitt. Calif. Smith of Mason, Gove of Milford, Daniels. Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua, Dodge, Spalding, Bullard, Atwood of Nashville, Preston, Eaton of New Ipswich, Harris of Dublin, Adams of Fitzwilliam,

May,
Haile,
Fox of Jaffrey,
Hutchins,
Faulkner,
Whitney of Marlborough,
Harris of Nelson,
Perry of Rindge,
Clark of Roxbury,
Norton,
Holt,
Turner of Winchester,
Humphrey,

Putnam,
Young,
Long,
Elwell,
Whicher,
Ingalls,
Thompson,
Worthen,
Ela,
Cragin,
Goss,
Rogers.

Yeas 177, nays 99.

So the resolutions with the amendments were indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Moses of Portsmouth-

Resolved, That when the House adjourn in the forenoon it shall adjourn to meet at three o'clock in the afternoon, and when it adjourn in the afternoon it shall adjourn to meet at ten o'clock the next morning, until otherwise ordered by the House.

On motion of Mr. Moulton of Centre Harbor— The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

On motion of Mr. Bennett of Manchester-

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Resolved, That a committee of ten be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him that a quorum of both branches of the Legislature have assembled, are organized, and are ready to receive any communication which he may be pleased to make.

Ordered, That Messrs. Bennett of Manchester, Noyes of Atkinson, Folsom of Dover, Chase of Conway, Tennant of

Allenstown, Gove of Weare, Haile of Hinsdale, Silsby of Acworth, Carbee of Bath and Rix of Dalton be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland-

Resolved, That the House are now ready to meet the Senate in convention for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

On motion of Mr. Collins of Francestown-

Resolved, That each member of the House be requested to leave a memorandum of his name, place of residence, boarding house, and the number of his seat, with the door-keeper, immediately after the adjournment of the House this afternoon.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the organization of the Legislature, and have on their part joined Messrs. Taylor and Williamson."

On motion of Mr. Wheeler of Newport-

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to prepare joint rules for the government of the two branches of the Legislature the present session.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wheeler of Newport, Hackett of Portsmouth and Sargent of Wentworth be the committee on

the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Moses of Portsmouth introduced the following reso-

lution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed to select and employ some suitable clergyman of this town to officiate as Chaplain of the Legislature during the present session, and that prayer be offered in the Representatives' Hall

each morning of the session at ten o'clock, and that His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Council and Senate be invited to attend.

Mr. Glidden of Unity moved to amend the resolution by striking therefrom the words, "of this town."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Metcalf moved to amend the resolution by inserting the words "ten minutes," before the words "ten o'clock."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Moody of Landaff moved to amend the resolution by adding at the close thereof the words following: "And the compensation of the Chaplain shall be the same as the pay of the members of this House."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the negative. So the amendment was rejected.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth moved to amend the resolution by striking out the word "three," after the words "committee of," and inserting the words "ten, to consist of one from each county."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment was agreed to.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution as amended?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the resolution passed as amended.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to prepare and report joint rules for the government of the two branches of the Legislature the present year, and have on their part joined Mr. Rix."

The following further message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—I am directed to inform the House of Representatives that vacancies exist in Senatorial Districts Nos. 3 and 7, and that Peter P. Woodbury and Daniel Clark are the two highest candidates in District No. 3, and that Bernard B. Whittemore and Edmund Parker are the two highest candidates in District No. 7."

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreesbly to the provisions of the Constitution,

The Secretary of State came in and laid before the Convention the returns of votes for Governor from the several towns and places in this State, and also the returns of votes for Councillors in the several councillor districts in this State.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That the returns of votes for Governor from the several towns and places in this State be referred to a committee, with instructions to open and record the same, compare and cast their numbers, and report to the Convention thereon.

Ordered, That Messrs. Rix of the Senate, Sargent of Wentworth, and J. H. Wiggins of Dover, of the House, be

the committee.

On motion of Mr. Knowlton of Hopkinton, of the House-Resolved, That the returns of votes for Councillors from the several councillor districts in the State be referred to a committee to open and record the same, to compare and cast their numbers, and report thereon.

Ordered, That Messrs. Hoitt of the Senate, and Knowlton of Hopkinton, and Weeks of Canaan, of the House, be

the committee.

Mr. Gray of Manchester introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the votes on the proposed amendments to the Constitution be referred to a committee to open and record the same, compare and cast their numbers and report thereon.

On motion of Mr. Chamberlain of Keene-

Resolved, That the resolution be laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the Convention do now proceed by ballot to the choice of Senator, to fill the vacancy which has occurred in Senatorial District No. 3.

The chairman announced the state of the vote as follows:
Whole number of votes cast,
Necessary to a choice,
Daniel Clark had
Peter P. Woodbury had
166

—and Peter P. Woodbury was accordingly declared elected Senator of Senatorial District No. 3.

On motion of Mr. J. B. Wiggin of Dover-

Resolved, That the Convention do now proceed by ballot to the choice of Senator, to fill the vacancy which has occurred in Senatorial District No. 7.

The chairman announced the state of the vote as follows:
Whole number of votes cast, 260

Necessary to a choice, 131
Edmund Parker had 99

Bernard B. Whittemore had
—and Bernard B. Whittemore was accordingly declared elected Senator of Senatorial District No. 7.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan, of the House— The Convention arose, and the Honorable Senate withdrew.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth—
The House adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 3, 1852.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the adoption of the joint rules of the two branches of the Legislature for the year 1851, as the joint rules of the two branches for the present year, until otherwise ordered."

The Speaker announced the following as the committee to report to this House a clergyman to officiate as Chaplain of the House: Messrs. Glidden of Unity, Tuttle of Nottingham, Davis of Lee, Mooney of Gilmanton, Rust of Wolfborough, Knowlton of Hopkinton, Spalding of Nashua, Chamberlain of Keene, Eaton of Hanover and Plaisted of Jefferson.

Mr. Cushing, member elect from the town of Charlestown, appeared, was announced by the Secretary of State, and took his seat in the House.

On motion of Mr. Rust of Wolf borough-

Resolved, That Ira R. Philbrick and David Harris be appointed Doorkeepers of the House the present session.

On motion of Mr. Moses of Portsmouth—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to assign committee rooms to the several committees.

Ordered, That Messrs. Moses of Portsmouth, Faulkner of Keene and Eayrs of Merrimack, be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have appointed Mr. Freeman a committee on the part of the Senate, with such as the House of Representatives may join, to wait upon the Hon. Peter P. Woodbury and Bernard B. Whittemore, Senators

elect from Senatorial Districts Nos. 3 and 7, and inform them of their election."

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the House concur with the Honorable Senate in the appointment of a joint select committee to wait upon the Senators elect and inform them of their election.

Ordered, That Messrs. Chase of Conway and Thompson of Haverhill be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the House are now ready to meet the Senate in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution,

Mr. Rix of the Senate, from the committee appointed to receive the returns of votes for Governor from the several towns and places in this State, open and record the same, compare and cast their numbers and report thereon, by leave made the following

REPORT:

The whole number of votes returned is	60,405
Necessary for a choice,	30,203
Estimated as scattering,	269
John Atwood has	9,479
Thomas E. Sawyer has	19,850
Noah Martin has	30,807

—and Noah Martin, having a majority of the votes, is elected Governor of the State of New Hampshire for the ensuing political year.

Ninety votes returned from Campton, one hundred and seven from Rye, two from Carroll, for Thomas Sawyer, are included among the scattering votes. No vote in Kensington or Lincoln.

JAMES M. RIX, for the committee.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins of Dover, of the House-

The report was accepted.

Mr. Hoitt of the Senate, from the committee appointed to receive the returns of votes for Councillors from the several councillor districts in the State, open and record the same, compare and cast their numbers and report thereon, by leave made the following

REPORT:

The select committee appointed to open and record the votes for Councillors, to compare and cast their numbers and to report thereon, have attended to the duty assigned them and instructed me to make the following report.

ALFRED HOITT, for the committee.

District No. 1.

Whole number of votes returned,	13,258
Necessary for a choice,	6,630
Estimated as scattering,	111
John Dow has	6,459
Moses Eaton, Jr., has	6,688
and Moses Eaton, jr., is accordingly duly	

District No. 2.

Whole number of votes returned,	12,951
Necessary for a choice,	6,476
Estimated as scattering,	Topessery for
John L. Perley has	1,661
Calvin Whitten has	4,508
Joseph H. Smith has	6,781
and Joseph H. Smith is duly elected.	SNOVIL SERVICE

District No. 3.

Whole number of v	otes returned,	14,205
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Necessary for a choice,	7,103
Estimated as scattering,	23
George Poor has	2,778
Benjamin M. Farley has	4,548
Samuel Butterfield has	6,856

—and there is no choice—Samuel Butterfield and Benjamin M. Farley being the two highest candidates.

District No. 4.

Whole number of votes returned, Necessary for a choice,	9,280 4,641
Estimated as scattering, George Huntington has	4,343
JAMES BATCHELLER has	4,936
and James Batcheller is elected.	

District No. 5.

Whole number of votes returned,	10,243
Necessary for a choice,	5,122
Estimated as scattering,	4
John H. White has	1,326
Moses K. Webster has	2,865
Russell Cox has	6,048
and Duncell Cox is elected	

-and Russell Cox is elected.

On motion of Mr. Freeman, of the Senate-

The report was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan, of the House-

Resolved, That the Convention do now proceed, by ballot, to the choice of a Councillor to fill the vacancy which has occurred in Councillor District No. 3.

The chairman announced the result of the vote, as follows:
Whole number of votes cast,
Necessary to a choice,
Benjamin M. Farley has
SAMUEL BUTTERFIELD has
103
163

—and Samuel Butterfield was accordingly declared elected Councillor for Councillor District No. 3.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins of Dover, of the House— The Convention arose and the Honorable Senate withdrew.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

Mr. Bennett of Manchester, from the committee appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the organization of both branches of the Legislature, and that they were ready to receive any communication he might be pleased to make, by leave, made the following report:

The joint committee who were appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him that quorums of both branches of the Legislature had assembled, were organized, and ready to receive any communication he might be pleased to make, report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and that His Excellency informs the committee that he has no communication to make to the House at the present time.

J. E. BENNETT, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Stanley of Hopkinton-

Resolved, That a committee of ten be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon the Hon. Noah Martin, Governor elect, and inform him of his election as Governor of this State for the ensuing political year, and that the Legislature are ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make.

Ordered, That Messrs. Stanley of Hopkinton, Plumer of Epping, Walker of Farmington, Jenkins of Barnstead, Parrish of Albany, Pike of Franklin, Gove of Weare, Carlton of Chesterfield, Jones of Washington, and Gibb of Carroll,

be the committee on the part of the House.

Mr. Plaisted of Jefferson introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of ten be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon the Hon. Councillors elect, and inform them of their election as Councillors of this State for the ensuing political vear.

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved, That the resolution be laid upon the table.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to assign committee rooms to the several committees, and have on their part joined Mr. Shannon."

On motion of Mr. Preston of New Ipswich-

Resolved, That the use of the State House Yard be granted, on the ninth and tenth of June, instant, for the purpose of holding a temperance convention.

Mr. Collins of Francestown introduced the following reso-

lution:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to procure six hundred printed copies of the rules of the Senate, the rules of the House, the joint rules of the Senate and House, the Constitution of the State, the Constitution of the United States, the names of the several members of the Legislature, the officers thereof, their respective places of residence, their boarding places, and the number of their seats, together with lists of the standing committees, and the number of the committee rooms assigned to each committee.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett of Portsmouth-

Resolved, That the resolution be laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Nelson-

Resolved, That this House, during this session, will not grant the use of the Representatives' Hall to lecturers and others, who admit their audience by ticket or fee, but only to those whose subjects are of a scientific character, or of public utility, whose lectures are free to all.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to wait upon the Hon. Noah Martin, Governor elect, and inform him of his election, and that the Legislature will be ready to receive any communication that he may be pleased to make, and have on their part joined Messrs. Rix and Merrill."

Mr. Mooney of Gilmanton introduced the following reso-

lution:

Resolved, That the Clerk of the House be and he is hereby authorized and directed to procure for each member during the present session, one copy of such of the daily papers published in Concord as each member respectively shall designate.

Mr. Chase of Conway moved to amend the resolution by striking out the word "daily," and inserting after the word

"Concord," the words "or elsewhere."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the negative. So the amendment was rejected.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the negative. So the resolution was rejected.

Mr. Stanley of Hopkinton, from the committee who were appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor, and inform him of his election to the office of Governor for the ensuing political year, and that the Legislature will be ready to receive any communication he may be pleased to make, by leave, reported that they had attended to the duty assigned them, and that His Excellency will meet the two Houses in Convention this afternoon at three o'clock, and will at that time make a communication to the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Langdon-

The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

On motion of Mr. Baxter of Bradford-

Resolved, That the select committee appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor elect and inform him of his election, be a committee on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on the Hon. Noah Martin at 3 o'clock this afternoon, and conduct him to the hall of the House of Representatives.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and

request their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in their appointment of a committee to wait on the Governor elect and conduct him to the hall of the House of Representatives, and have on their part joined Messrs. Hoitt and Shannon."

On motion of Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth-

Resolved, That the House are now ready to meet the Senate in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and

request their concurrence therein.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention in the Representatives' Hall for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provis-

ions of the Constitution,

His Excellency the Hon. Noah Martin, the Governor elect, came in, attended by the Honorable Council, and escorted by committees of both branches of the Legislature, and the Governor elect manifested his acceptance of the office of Governor of this State, and took and subscribed the oath of allegiance and oath of office before the President of the Senate and in presence of both branches of the Legislature, when the Hon. John S. Wells, President of the Senate, declared His Excellency Noah Martin Governor of the State of New Hampshire for the ensuing political year, and presented him with a copy of the Constitution as a guide in the discharge of his official duties.

His Excellency the Governor then made to the Legisla-

ture the following

ADDRESS:

Gentlemen of the Senate and of the House of Representatives:

I am happy to meet you, by the appointment of the Constitution, in this house dedicated to free legislation. We are here clothed with the high and the honorable powers of legislators, conferred upon us by the free suffrages of the intelligent and sovereign people of the State. They have conferred these powers upon us in the full confidence that we shall be faithful public servants, conform to their wishes, guard their rights and promote their interests. In entering upon the duties before us, we should not be unmindful of their solemn and responsible importance; and that our temporary guardianship of the various interests of the State committed to our care, will either tend to their honorable and lasting promotion or the reverse.

Profoundly grateful to the people of the State for the bestowal of their confidence in electing me to the position I now occupy, and deeply impressed with the obligations my new relations impose, it will ever be my most anxious desire to consult, on all occasions, the sentiments and interests of those we conjointly represent; and it will ever afford me the greatest pleasure to unite with you in all such measures as will have the greatest tendency to promote their prosper-

ity and ensure their happiness.

When we reflect that we are in the seats of distinguished predecessors, whose enlightened legislation, and liberal, though economical policy, have reared the State from infantile weakness to manly maturity, and see around us the monuments of social, civil and industrial progression, the fruits of their wise forecast and prudent administration, all without an oppressive State debt, well may we distrust our abilities to fill our stations as they have been filled, or to sustain in onward progress the civil structure so auspiciously erected. Thankful, indeed, should we be for such predecessors; grateful for the example and perfected inheritance their patriotism and labors have bestowed, and solicitous may we be not to mar the symmetry or deform the beauty of the heritage by uncalled for or immature legislation.

Under our forms, legislation is merely the collecting of public opinion, and uttering it, with the solemn sanction of the people's voice, through their assembled representatives. The Legislature that does this the most completely, best subserves the objects of its election. To transcend this, however slightly, is direct usurpation. For all rightful government emanates from and has its foundation in the will

of the people.

Uncertainty of interpretation is a complaint not unfrequently made against our legislative enactments. These enactments are to guide and control in the pursuit, possession and enjoyment of rights, and in the redress of grievances to persons and property. They are promulgated through our public journals, that all may read and comprehend them; and in our courts of justice, ignorance of the law excuses no one. Hence the importance that our laws should be expressed in language clear, simple and concise, that they may be readily understood by all capacities.

Frequently modifying or changing the laws is an evil that should be avoided in all instances, unless some positive, countervailing good can clearly be demonstrated as likely to

result from the innovation.

I cannot refrain, on this occasion, from congratulating you, and your constituents through you, upon the happy and prosperous condition of the State. Our little State, fortunate at every period of her history, was never more so in all her relations than at the present moment; and although we cannot boast of as great an extent of territory, as fertile and as easily cultivated a soil, as bland and temperate a climate, as extensive and splendid public works, or as expensive internal improvements as some of the more favored by nature and more wealthy States of this Union, yet we have abundant reason for the most heartfelt gratitude to the Giver of all good, for the health and plenty, the peace and happiness, the enterprise and progress that everywhere abound; for our unsurpassed religious, literary and intellectual advantages; for the industry, economy and moral tendencies of our population, and for the favoring circumstances which surround us, for the growth of intelligence, virtue, and the love of liberty. Inured to industry through force of circumstances, inclined to economy by necessity and the example of our fathers, and inspired with the sentiments of morality and liberty by our maternal teachings, habit, inclination, wisdom, all conspire to form a character of distinct traits and high usefulness, of inflexible determination and unvielding perseverance, of strong and resolute will and exalted aspirations, firm in morals as unchanging in purpose, fitted for the struggles of life in any position, country or clime. Such are the human productions of our Granite State; educated to toil and self-dependence from childhood, full of self-protection, enterprise and substantial thrift in manhood, and warmed by the sentiments of religion and

patriotism in old age.

Agriculture, the parent art, is more prosperous at the present time than it has been at any former period. The attention of the agriculturist, within a few years past, has been more particularly directed to the importance of his profession, his position and his advantages, and the rich results which the resources of science, combined with his own practical experience, will throw into the lap of husbandry, have become distinctly apparent to his mind. Scientific agricultural research is showing him the constitution and nature of his soil; the adaptation of certain soils to particular vegetable growths; the constituent principles of vegetables; the elements of manures congenial to their growth; the nutrient materials which constitute animal development, and the rules under which the greatest perfection may be attained in both animal and vegetable productions. The implements of husbandry have been astonishingly improved, and the process of culture rendered easy and productive in a proportionate degree.

Among the various duties of the legislator, no one stands more prominently forth, or more justly demands his attention and fostering care, than education. Intelligence generally diffused is the very basis of our form of government. Self-government, well regulated, rational freedom, cannot exist without that knowledge which leads to the discovery of rights, their appreciation, and a determination to defend them. Ignorance is the bane of religion and morals, as well

as free government.

Our common school system seems to be wisely adapted to our wants, and in beautiful harmony with the principles of our government. The commingling of scholars of every grade, without reference to the standing of their parents, their prospective wealth, or any of the contingencies of society, at an early period of life, and all subjected to the same sway and discipline without favoritism or partiality, are admirably calculated to foster the principles of equality and obedience to salutary rule, and to implant the truth that no preëminence is to be acknowledged but that of intellectual attainment and rectitude of conduct. These are elements essential to the development and maturity of young republicans, and the more perfect the system is made in all the rudimental, scientific training, necessary to the various industrial pursuits of life, the more vigorous, substantial and enduring will be our institutions, and the more happiness and prosperity will be diffused among our whole people.

The range of instruction in our Common Schools I think might be a little enlarged with great benefit to the instructed. The introduction of elementary works upon the sciences of agricultural chemistry and physiology generally, I think would not extend the studies unduly, and could not fail to be of incalculable advantage, especially to those pupils who in after life are to devote themselves to rural pursuits, and who have not the means to avail themselves of the advantages of higher Schools for their attainment. instruction which imparts that knowledge, which, when applied, tends directly to multiply the necessaries of life, needs no argument to substantiate its utility, and particularly in a State like ours, where husbandry is, and must continue to be, the preponderating interest. In fact, agriculture gives commerce and manufactures, and all combined give vitality, progress and prosperity to the mechanic arts; therefore, whatever is done to aid the agriculturist to increase his power of production, contributes essentially to the advancement of all the other industrial pursuits. Agricultural chemistry proposes to unfold to the farmer the very elements of which all his products are composed, and to teach him the manner of managing and applying his resources, so as to produce the most abundant and the most perfect returns for his outlay and his efforts. Physiology imparts a knowledge of the various organs of the human structure, their healthful action, their wonderful and harmonious cooperation in carrying forward and sustaining all the purposes of organic life.

We deem it essential to teach our children the external

world, the objects it presents, their names, natures and relations as far as they can be ascertained and comprehended. This is conceded to be necessary to their mental development and their prospective usefulness and happiness; and is it not equally essential that they should be taught a knowledge of themselves, of those organs through which they receive the impressions of external objects, the sources of thought, the home of judgment, the combinations of sense and intellect, and the conditions upon which they may continue to perform all those functions on which depend the enjoyment, progress and refinements of life? Surely it is, and we cannot be too early or too diligent in imparting such knowledge. Nine-tenths of our population receive the sum of their school education at our Common Schools; they therefore should be elevated to that standard of instruction which will impart all the scientific knowledge necessary in the ordinary walks of business life, and lay the foundation, if taste, means and exertion concur, of an extended education.

The Board of Education, so far as their operations have come to my knowledge, through their reports and otherwise, are doing all in their power to improve and elevate the Common Schools of the State. They assuredly have brought to the cause an amount of talent, acquirement and zeal, which, if judiciously and continuously exerted and coöperated with by superintending and prudential committees, parents and the friends of common school education throughout the State, cannot fail to produce much immediate and great ultimate good. No system can show its beneficial and entire results at once; time is required to develop its adaptation and capabilities.

No State can ever languish and retrograde in population, morals or wealth, when her agricultural interest is prosperous, and her educational advantages are free, ample and accessible to all. Agricultural prosperity, knowledge and virtue are the sustaining pillars of a republican government, and should be cultivated and sustained by every friend of

freedom.

I would suggest for your consideration the propriety of raising more money than heretofore for the support of our Common Schools—and also the institution of an agricultural commission, for the benefit of that great department of

our industry.

The indebtedness of the State, June, 1851, was \$76,790 86, which I am happy to say has been diminished more than ten thousand dollars during the year, leaving the State debt at the present time about \$66,000. This is a creditable reduction, and if continued at the same rate for a few years, will liquidate the whole, without a resort to extraordinary taxation.

Prudence and economy in the affairs of the State are as essential to financial prosperity as they are indispensable to success in individual transactions; and the same considerations which would induce a private individual to avail himself of every reasonable resource to augment his means for the discharge of his liabilities, should operate with equal force upon the guardians of the public treasury under like circumstances.

The example of those who have preceded us, our State debt, and the watchful eye of the people, should all operate to induce great circumspection in expenditures. A brief session, with as little legislation as the public wants demand, will probably meet the approbation of our constitu-

ents.

The Asylum for the Insane is in a prosperous condition, and fulfilling the great and humane objects of its design, in a manner, most satisfactory to its friends, and honorable to the State. The Institution in all its departments seems to have arrived at a state of perfection which renders it capable of dispensing all the advantages to the insane attainable in any similar retreat in this country, or perhaps in Eu-The buildings are spacious, well constructed, well ventilated, well finished and furnished, ample for the accommodation of the patients and attendants, and embrace all those peculiar conveniences indispensable to an establishment of the kind. It is now established by appropriations from the State Treasury and individual munificence, upon a self-sustaining footing, and will not hereafter look to the Legislature for any aid, other than that indirect aid, usual annually, an appropriation for the benefit of the indigent insane. It must be a matter of grateful reflection to every citizen of the State, that we have within our own borders an asylum to which we can retreat, and consign our friends, in case of that greatest calamity incident to our nature, unsettled intellect; where all the advantages of curative treatment can be obtained under the mildest restraint, and most humane discipline-where all the resources of science, experience and moral tact, attainable in such cases, will be brought to bear with enlightened skill, the utmost fidelity

and gentleness.

The affairs of the State Prison, I feel authorized in saying, were never in a more satisfactory condition. Its financial prosperity, the present year, fully equals that of the past; while its discipline is maintained with such mildness and vigor as renders it reformatory and effective. The convicts are healthy, wear a cheerful aspect, and enjoy life as well as it can be enjoyed, under the necessary restraints of confine-

ment to hard labor for the commission of crime.

A new work-shop has been erected during the year with the avails of the land sale authorized by the last Legislature, and another is much needed, and would, it is thought, subserve the interest of the State, as well as add much to the perfection of the establishment. The south wing of the Prison, which is now occupied as a store-house, might be re-modeled, and converted into a work-shop or an abode for the accommodation of female convicts, for which latter purpose some new arrangement is much needed. Several female convicts are now from necessity kept in the family of the Warden, because no suitable arrangement can be made for them within the Prison.

Corporations in this State, as well as in some of the sister States, within a few years, have been greatly extended. They have apparently outrun business demands and means, and in some instances at least, have convinced stockholders of the impolicy of their projection, and their entire inadequacy to make such returns as were anticipated at the time of investment. Legislatures are subject to extremes as well as individuals, and sooner or later both will learn, by impressive experience, the reactive force of premature enterprises. In granting corporate powers, the public demand for the particular kind of business facilities sought, should be more particularly looked at, and influence, rather than the urgent importunity of interested individuals, or the rivalry of competing parties; and the local interests to be affected either by promotion, competition or otherwise, should be carefully taken

into account, and the decision should be governed by general principles, rather than special considerations. One line of railroad through a particular district may be a great public convenience; tend to develop wealth, foster enterprise, remunerate shareholders, and promote all the essential interests of society; while two within competing distance may be worse than none. Competition, to a certain extent, is highly useful; it regulates prices, stimulates skill, induces economy and subserves the public good; but carry it further, and it leads to recklessness, insecurity, individual loss and public injury. I would respectfully suggest, whether the time has not arrived when it would be well for us to pause and consider our corporate interests and their tendencies, that in any future action upon the subject of their augmentation, we may be guided by the impartial light of mature experience.

The Judiciary has so recently passed under revision and modification, that sufficient time has not elapsed to test by the most unerring guide in all practical matters, experience, the suitableness and the effective power of the present arrangement to meet the wants of the community and to fulfil the declaration in our Bill of Rights, that "every citizen of this State is entitled to a certain remedy, by having recourse to the laws for injuries he may receive in his person, property and character; to obtain right and justice freely, without being obliged to purchase it; completely, and without denial; promptly, and without delay, conformably to the laws." I trust the present system will accomplish all this, and if it does, it will add much to the peace and happiness of the community, by the speedy rendering of justice.

Our military code has been recently so modified, under the auspices of my immediate and distinguished predecessor, as to do away with all the active service of the militia of the State. This may be the best way of maintaining that effective military force so highly valued by our fathers, and of verifying the declaration in the Bill of Rights, that "a well regulated militia is the proper, natural and sure defence of a State." Without dissenting from the policy, I can but express my regret that the military spirit of our fathers should have so far languished in their sons, as apparenty to invite such legislation.

I observed, with sentiments of cordial approval, the meas-

ures taken by the last Legislature to procure facts and other data, preliminary to the establishment of a "State Reform School for the employment, instruction and reform of juvenile offenders." That such an institution is needed in the State, and would be productive of vast benefit to the class of offenders for whom its advantages are designed, and to the community also, I think no one can doubt, who has given the subject a little attention. The welfare of society is deeply involved in the question of the most effectual mode of restraining vice, and preventing the commission of crime, and as the principles of humanity gain the ascendency over the sentiments of revenge in the infliction of punishment for the commission of crime, the milder and more reformatory measures in the treatment of criminals, must occupy the attention of legislators, and ultimately supplant the severe and sanguinary. It will readily occur to those who have given but slight attention, even, to the nature of the crimes which disturb society, and to the character of the criminals, that the greater portion of them originate from early moral debasement, by the contamination of youth through ignorance, idleness and vicious associates; and that in our present mode of penal infliction, the youthful offender is more likely to be confirmed in his criminal ways, and made a greater proficient in the commission of offences, than to become reformed. In our jails he meets with older, more hardened and greater adepts in villainy than himself, who are ever ready to impart their lessons in crime, enforced with the resentful promptings of revenge incident to detection and incarceration; and if he is condemned to a period of service in our State Prison, he comes out with the indelible brand of infamy upon him, and a character formed in most instances, defiant to all reformatory influences. posed Reform School meets this preventive principle, by removing the juvenile offenders from the influence of their depraved associates and counsellors, and placing them under the redeeming power of education, healthful occupation, moral and religious teachings.

The distinctive and most sacred right of a freeman is the voluntary and uncontrolled right of suffrage. Without it in its purity and unrestrained exercise, there can be no free government, no independent, individual right of choice in the selection of those to whom is delegated the power of

making and establishing laws to which all are amenable. is the grand leveller of all conditions; it places all upon the same footing, and gives to each man the same power, weight and influence at the ballot box, because he is man, disregarding all the adventitious circumstances and accidents of social position. It is the illustration of the memorable declaration in our Bill of Rights: "That all men are born equally free and independent;" hence the importance of its being so guarded that no infringement can or will be likely to ensue. The poor man has a greater interest in its unrestrained preservation than the rich, because it is his greatest right, and the most essential political inheritance he can transmit to his son, through the exercise of which that son may be elevated to the various stations in political life; whereas the man of wealth has fortune at his command by which he may materially aid his offspring to attain the same elevations, if the suffrage is suffered to be corrupted. ty of the elective franchise underlies the whole of our governmental structure; vitiate or pervert it, and the taint pervades the whole, destroying its vitality and paralyzing even its forms. Is the right of suffrage sufficiently guarded in all localities in the State? Would any additional legislation tend more completely to carry out the intention of our fathers in its establishment? Of this you will judge, in your wisdom.

The term of service of one of our Senators in Congress will expire on the 4th of March next, and the choice of his

successor is one of the duties of this Legislature.

Under the new apportionment of Representatives to Congress, New Hampshire is entitled to choose three, only; it will therefore devolve on you to re-district the State, for the

choice of Representatives to Congress.

The first volume of the new series of New Hampshire Reports, contemplated by the act of 1850, establishing the office of State Reporter, which has been unavoidably delayed up to the present time, will appear in the course of the present month, and the second volume will be issued by the first of November next.

The subject of temperance reform has occupied an engrossing position in the public mind in this State, for a few months past. The ardor of its friends has been ceaseless and almost unbounded, and their sentiments have found em-

bodiment in a project of law nearly identical with that celebrated enactment of the Legislature of the State of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops." In its provisions its advocates assert, the remedies are found, for most, if not all, the ills which originate from intemperance, and afflict society; which cast their shadows so lengthily and so gloomily over the abodes of domestic prosperity and happiness, blighting and destroying; while the opponents of the measure fear its stringency, deem it tyrannical, and deny its constitutionality. The subject will undoubtedly be before you, and will claim your careful, candid and deliberate action. You, gentlemen, are the conservators of the public morals, individual rights and interests for the time being, under the guidance of your constituents; and having come directly from their midst, will understand their wants and regard their wishes; and I doubt not that wisdom, sound discretion and high sense of the public good which have usually characterized the legislators of New Hampshire, will guide you in your conclusions.

The liberation of the illustrious Kossuth, and his advent upon our shores, are great events in the world's history. The apostle of European liberty, after achieving the emancipation of his own Hungary, in defiance of Austrian force and falsehood, and expelling every invading foot from his native soil, was borne down by Russian cohorts, and driven into exile. His unsurpassed and almost superhuman exertions for the liberation of his down-trodden country, were watched with intense interest, and with the most ardent hope for their permanent success, by the friends of freedom everywhere, and especially in this country; and when Austrian intrigue and bayonets failed, one universal thrill of exultation pervaded the American bosom; when Russian intervention and treason came, a gloom as universal saddened the American heart; and the national watchfulness followed the vanquished patriot into his exile and imprisonment in an infidel land. His liberation was sought and effected, and he was borne by one of our national ships, under the protection of our glorious stars and stripes, from Asiatic bondage. came here, not to seek a home, but to thank the government and the nation for their interest in his cause and his personal liberty, and to plead the cause of his crushed and bleeding

country to republican America; and most eloquently and ably has he fulfilled his mission. The enthusiastic welcome with which he has everywhere been greeted by all classes and conditions of our citizens, shows that the fires of freedom, enkindled by our revolutionary fathers, yet burn with unabated vigor in the hearts of our people; that we are not only sensible of and appreciate our inestimable birthright, but that we rejoice in the prospect of its extension, and are willing to extend the helping hand to other nations, however distant, struggling for that civil and religious freedom which is the natural right of all humanity. And how have we, the descendants of the immortal Washington and his illustrious compeers, the descendants of men who thought liberty, who talked liberty, who fought for liberty, and conquered in its name, responded to his appeal? The press, the halls of legislation, municipalities, the people, have issued forth one ocean-tide of sympathy for his cause and his country; and our federal government should give her high, and republican, and fearless sanction to the principle of nonintervention in the domestic struggles of nations. The despots of Europe expect us, the only representative of free government, to favor freedom everywhere; and why should they not expect us by every means, moral and national, to favor the non-intervention principle of the law of nations also? They do; and if we shrink from the duty the circumstances indicate and impose, we shall only degrade ourselves in their estimation, and encourage their despotic sway. until all Europe and our own beloved country may feel the crush and ruin of constitutional freedom, and see the obliteration of our own cherished and liberal institutions.

That series of measures known as the Compromise measures, passed by the last Congress, has had, as intended by the wise and patriotic men who contributed to their origin and passage, the happy influence to tranquilize that excitement of the public mind which so fearfully wrought sectional commotion, and threatened a dissolution of the Union. The measures taken to avert the threatened calamity, although not entirely satisfactory to either the North or the South, were conceded to be the best attainable at the time. Their justice and necessity are more and more apparent to all who examine them dispassionately, in connection with the constitution and the circumstances which called them

forth. The Fugitive Slave Law, that gave rise to such noisy and acrimonious denunciations from certain philanthropists, seems now to be gaining the acquiescence of all Union-loving citizens, and inspiring determination that its provisions shall be carried out in good faith. However much it may be regretted that force of circumstances called for this enactment, yet the obligations of the constitution and the love of the Union unite in the affirmance of its necessity and binding force; and the love of order and sectional right, the promptings of patriotism and fraternal ties which have and ever will continue to bind us together as a family of States, will give it the solemn sanction of this great Union. The faith that bound our fathers will bind their sons; and the glorious federal constitution and the blessed Union which have conferred such unparalleled prosperity, extension and renown upon the American people, will be preserved, and I trust perpetuated.

When we turn our eyes to the portrait upon the wall, and behold the father of his country, benignity beaming from his countenance, and he apparently uttering the injunction, "Union, harmony, fraternity, if ye are patriotic and would continue to be free;" can our hearts fail to be imbued with the inspiration of the sentiment, and to unite in the invocation of his spirit, and the spirit of the Father of all countries and all States, to preside over and guide our deliberations, and sanction whatever we may do, to the best inter-

ests of the State and the Union?

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 3, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Freeman, of the Senate— The Convention arose and the Senate withdrew.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Mr. Collins of Francestown-

Resolved, That the address of His Excellency the Governor be laid upon the table, and that the Clerk be directed to procure one thousand printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That a committee be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him that the following gentlemen have been elected Councillors for the ensuing political year:

From District No. 1, Moses Eaton, Jr.;

" 2, Joseph H. Smith; " 3, Samuel Butterfield;

" 4, James Batchelder;

" " 5, Russell Cox;

—and that the same committee be requested to notify the several Councillors of their election.

Ordered, That Messrs. Weeks of Canaan, Frink of Newington and Bailey of Salem be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

Mr Glidden of Unity from the co

Mr. Glidden of Unity, from the committee who were appointed to nominate a clergyman to officiate as Chaplain of the House the ensuing year, made a report, whereupon—

Resolved, That Rev. Dyer H. Sanborn, of Washington,

be appointed Chaplain of this House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Rev. Dyer H. San-

born thereof.

Mr. Chase of Conway gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway— The House adjourned.

FRIDAY, June 4, 1852.

Resolved, That a committee of the

Mr. Moses, from the committee who were appointed to assign committee rooms to the several standing committees, by leave made the following

REPORT:

The joint committee to whom was referred the assignment of committee rooms for the several standing committees, having attended to that duty, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution:

S. W. MOSES, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That committee rooms numbered 7 and 8 be occupied by committees of the Senate, and the following rooms by the committees of the House of Representatives:

No. 1, by the committees on Banks and on Printers' Accounts.

No. 2, by the committees on Elections and on Agriculture.
No. 4, by the committees on Towns and Parishes, on
Roads, Bridges and Canals, and on Public Lands.

No. 5, by the committees on Claims, on Finance, and on

the Division of Towns.

No. 9, by the committees on Unfinished Business, on Bills on their Second Reading, and on the State Prison.

No. 10, by the committee on the Judiciary.

No. 11, by the committees on Manufactures, on Military Affairs, and on Military Accounts.

No. 12, by the committees on Education, on Mileage, and on the Insane Asylum.

No. 13, by the committee on Railroads, and on the Library.

No. 6, by the joint committee on Engrossed Bills.

No. 3, by the committee on the State House and State House Yard, and by the select committees;

Which was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett of Portsmouth-

Resolved, That a committee of five be appointed, to report whether an adjourned session of the Legislature for this year is necessary or expedient, and at what time the same shall be holden, and on what day the present session may be closed.

Ordered, That Messrs. Bartlett, Weeks of Canaan, Carlton of Chesterfield, Morrill of East Kingston and Chase of Conway be the committee.

On motion of Mr. Plaisted of Jefferson-

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer, and report thereon.

Ordered, That Messrs. Plaisted of Jefferson, Cilley of Deerfield and Atwood of Pelham be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and

request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to prepare and report rules for the government of the House the present year.

Ordered, That Messrs. Sargent of Wentworth, Pike of Franklin and Cutter of Peterborough be the committee.

Mr. Langdon of Portsmouth introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the House adjourns this forenoon, it adjourn to meet on Monday next at three o'clock in the afternoon.

Mr. Spalding of Nashua moved that the resolution be laid upon the table.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Wheeler of Newport moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words "this forenoon," and inserting the words "to-morrow forenoon" instead thereof.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland moved that the resolution as amended, be laid upon the table.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the resolution was laid upon the table.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him of the election of the Hon. Moses Eaton, jr., Joseph H. Smith, Samuel Butterfield, James Batcheller, and Russell Cox, as Councillors for the ensuing political year; also to wait upon the several Councillors and notify them of their election, and have on their part joined Mr. Whittemore."

Mr. J. H. Wiggins of Dover gave notice that he would tomorrow, or upon some subsequent day, introduce a bill in amendment of chapter 151 of the Revised Statutes, and also a bill relating to proceedings before Road Commissioners.

Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act relating to foreign attachments on the trustee process."

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have adopted the report of the joint committee appointed to assign committee rooms to the standing committees of the two branches of the Legislature, and ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives."

Mr. Chamberlain gave notice that he would on Monday next, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Ashuelot Bank."

Mr. Thompson of Haverhill gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, introduce a bill, entitled "An act for the extension of the charter of the Grafton County Bank."

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland-

The House resumed the consideration of the resolution relating to the printing of the rules of the Senate, the rules of the House, the joint rules of the Senate and House, the Constitution of the State, the Constitution of the United States, the names of the several members of the Legislature, the officers thereof, their respective places of residence, their boarding places, and the number of their seats, together with lists of the standing committees, and the numbers of the committee rooms assigned to each committee.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland moved to amend the resolution by striking out the word "six," and inserting the word

"eight," instead thereof.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the negative. So the amendment was rejected.

Mr. Thompson of Haverhill moved that the resolution be laid upon the table.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to lay the resolution on the table.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth moved to amend the resolution by striking out the word "six," before the word "hundred," and insert the word "seven," instead thereof; also to insert the word "fifty," after the word "hundred."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was adopted.

The question recurred,

Shall the resolution pass, as amended?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the resolution passed.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and

request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Harris of Nelson gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Peterborough Bank."

On motion of Mr. Wheeler of Newport-

Resolved, That Tuesday next, at four o'clock in the afternoon, be assigned for the election of Secretary of State, State Treasurer, and Public Printer.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth gave notice that he would to-

morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act in addition to chapter forty-five of the Revised Statutes, relating to the collection of taxes."

On motion of Mr. Moses of Portsmouth— The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Mr. Preston of New Ipswich gave notice that he would on Monday next, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking

houses and tippling shops."

Mr. Bartlett, from the committee who were appointed to take into consideration and report to the House whether it is expedient to hold an adjourned session of the Legislature the present year, and if so, at what time the same shall be holden, and at what time the present session of the Legislature may be brought to a close, by leave, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee who were appointed to consider and report to the House whether an adjourned session of the Legislature is necessary or expedient the present year, and if so, at what time the same shall be holden, also at what time the business of the present session may be brought to a close, have considered the same, and have instructed me to report the following resolutions.

ICHABOD BARTLETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That it is necessary to hold an adjourned session of the Legislature the present year, and that the same be holden on the third Wednesday (the seventeenth day) of November next.

Resolved, That the present session of the Legislature may be brought to a close on Saturday, the nineteenth day of June, instant.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett—

Resolved, That the report be laid upon the table.

Mr. Wheeler of Newport, from the committee who were

appointed to prepare and report joint rules for the government of both branches of the Legislature the present year,

by leave, made the following report:

The committee who were appointed to prepare and report joint rules for the government of both branches of the Legislature for the present year, have instructed me to report the joint rules of the year 1851 as the joint rules of the present year, without amendment.

EDMUND WHEELER, for the committee.

The joint rules for the year 1851 are as follows:

JOINT RULES OF THE SENATE AND HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

1. When a convention of the two houses is to be formed, whether by requirement of the Constitution, or by a vote or resolve of the two houses, a message shall be sent from the House of Representatives to the Senate, giving notice when the House will meet the Senate in convention. As soon thereafter as the convenience of the Senate will permit, they will attend in the House. The Speaker of the House shall be chairman of the convention, and shall state the reason for forming the convention. When the House and Senate are thus formed in convention, the rules adopted as the rules of the House shall be considered the rules of the convention, so far as they may be deemed applicable, and the convention shall accordingly be governed thereby.

2. Messages shall be sent by such person or persons as a sense of propriety in each house may determine to be proper.

3. When a message shall be sent from either house to the other, it shall be announced at the door of the house to which it may be sent, by the doorkeeper.

4. While bills are on their passage between the two houses, they shall be under the signature of the Clerk of

each house respectively.

5. There shall be a committee for the purpose of engrossing bills, consisting of two members of each house. All bills that pass both houses shall be delivered to said committee, be by them engrossed, carefully examined, and reported to the respective houses; and shall be signed, first by the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and then by the President of the Senate.

6. There shall be a committee, to consist of three members of the House and one of the Senate, on each of the following subjects, to wit: on all matters relative to the State Library, and on all matters relative to the State House and State House Yard.

7. When a bill or resolve which shall have passed in one house is rejected in the other, notice thereof shall be given

to the house in which the same shall have passed.

8. Each house shall transmit to the other all papers on

which any bill or resolve shall be founded.

9. Each house shall transmit to the other all bills which have passed their several stages in the house in which they originated, at least twenty-four hours before the time fixed on for adjournment.

10. After each house shall have adhered to their disagree-

ment, a bill or resolve shall be considered lost.

Which was accepted and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Stanley introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That when the House adjourns this afternoon, it adjourn to meet on Monday next at four o'clock in the afternoon.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the resolution passed.

Mr. Glidden of Unity gave notice that he would on Monday next, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Claremont Cutlery Company."

On motion of Mr. Faulkner-

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to take into consideration the message of His Excellency the Governor, and report what disposition shall be made of the several subjects embraced therein.

Ordered, That Messrs. Faulkner of Keene, Glidden of

Unity and Fox of Auburn be the committee.

Mr. Glidden of Unity introduced the following resolution: Resolved, That the State Treasurer be requested to furnish the House with the amount paid to the State and County Commissioners each year since the year 1846.

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Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Treasurer thereof.

Mr. Chase of Conway, agreeably to previous notice and
by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to alter the times
of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the
county of Carroll;"

· Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time? It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time by its title.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That it be referred to a select committee to consist of the delegation from the county of Carroll.

On motion of Mr. Grey of Manchester— The House adjourned.

MONDAY, June 7, 1852.

Mr. Walker, member elect from Ward 1 of the city of Portsmouth, was introduced by the Secretary of State and took his seat.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, from the committee who were appointed to prepare and report rules for the government of the House the present year, by leave, made the following

report:

'The committee who were appointed to prepare and report rules for the government of the House the present year, have attended to the duty assigned them, and have directed me to report the following rules for that purpose.

J. E. SARGENT, for the committee.

The reading of the report having been commenced and proceeded in, before the completion thereof,

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That the further reading of said report be dispensed with, except such parts thereof as contain additions to and alterations of the former rules of the House.

Such parts of the report were then read.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

The report was accepted, and the rules were adopted as the rules of the House the present year, and are as follows:

RULES OF THE HOUSE.

OF THE DUTY OF THE SPEAKER.

1. The Speaker shall take the chair at precisely the hour to which the House shall have adjourned, shall immediately call the members to order, and at the commencement of each day's session shall cause the journal of the preceding day to be read.

2. He shall preserve decorum and order; may speak on points of order in preference to other members, rising from his seat for that purpose; and shall decide questions of order, subject to an appeal to the House by any two members. Questions shall be distinctly put in this form, to wit: "As many as are of opinion that, (as the case may be,) say aye;" and after the affirmative vote is expressed, "Those of a contrary opinion, say no." If the Speaker doubts, or a division be called for, the House shall divide. Those in the affirmative of the question shall first rise from their seats and stand till they be counted, and afterwards those in the negative shall rise and stand till they be counted. The Speaker shall then rise and state the decision of the House.

3. He shall rise to put a question, but may state it sitting.

4. All committees shall be appointed by the Speaker, unless otherwise directed by the House.

5. The Speaker shall designate to which of the standing committees all memorials, petitions, accounts or other matters shall be referred, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

6. The Speaker shall vote in no case, unless the House be equally divided, or unless his vote, if given to the minority, will make the division equal; and in case of such equal division, the question shall be lost.

7. All acts, addresses and joint resolutions shall be signed by the Speaker; and all writs, warrants or subpænas issued by order of the House, shall be under his hand and seal, attested by the Clerk.

8. In case of any disturbance or disorderly conduct in the galleries, the Speaker, or chairman of the committee of the

whole House, shall have the power to order the same to be

cleared.

9. No person but the members and officers of the House, members of the Council, and members of the Senate, the Secretary of the State, Treasurer, and clerks of the Senate, shall be admitted within the door of the Representatives' chamber, unless by invitation of the Speaker, or of some member of the House, with consent of the Speaker, except in public hearings, parties, their counsel and witnesses, under the direction of the Speaker.

10. The Speaker shall have power to substitute any member to perform the duties of the Chair, such substitution not

to extend beyond an adjournment.

OF DECORUM AND DEBATE.

11. When any member is about to speak in debate, or deliver any matter to the House, he shall rise from his seat

and respectfully address himself to the Speaker.

12. If any member transgress the rules of the House, the Speaker shall, or any other member may, call him to order; in which case the member so called to order shall immediately sit down, and the question of order shall then be distinctly stated from the chair; and in all cases where a member shall be called to order for uttering disrespectful words, upon the request of any member the words objected to shall be reduced to writing by the member so calling to order; after which the member so called to order may explain, and the question shall be open to debate, as in other cases, and decided by the Speaker, whose decision shall be submitted to, unless an appeal be made to the House by a member, in which case the only question shall be, "Is the Speaker's decision correct?"-which shall be decided without debate. If the decision be in favor of the member called to order, he may proceed; if otherwise, and the case may require it, he shall be liable to the censure of the House.

13. In all cases, the member first rising shall speak first. When two members rise at the same time, the Speaker shall

name the person to speak.

14. No member shall speak more than twice to the same question, without leave of the House; nor more than once until every member choosing to speak shall have spoken.

15. While the Speaker is putting any question, or addressing the House, no one shall walk out of or across the House; nor in such case, or when a member is speaking, shall entertain private discourse; nor while a member is speaking, shall pass between him and the chair; nor shall any member leave his seat while the yeas and nays are calling.

16. No member shall vote on any question in the event of which he is directly interested; or in any case where he was

not present when the question was put.

17. Every member who shall be in the House when a question is put, shall give his vote, unless the House for special reasons shall excuse him.

- 18. No motion shall be debated until the same shall be seconded and stated from the chair; and when a motion shall be made and seconded, it shall be reduced to writing, if desired by the speaker or any member, and delivered in at the table, and read by the Speaker, before the same shall be debated.
- 19. No petition shall be received by the House, unless it be presented by a member thereof and upon motion made for that purpose, nor until the substance of said petition be concisely minuted and the name of the member and the town he represents recorded upon the back thereof; and it shall be the duty of the Speaker, whenever any motion relative to a petition is to be stated to the House, to state, in the first place, the substance of the petition, as minuted on the back thereof.

20. After a motion is stated by the Speaker, it shall be in possession of the House, but may be withdrawn at any time before an amendment.

- 21. When any question is under debate, no motion shall be received but, 1st, to adjourn; 2d, to lie on the table; 3d, to postpone indefinitely; 4th, to postpone to a day certain; 5th, to commit; and 6th, to amend; which several motions shall have precedence in the order in which they are arranged. Motions to adjourn and lie on the table shall be decided without debate.
- 22. When a question is postponed indefinitely, the same shall not be acted upon during the session.

23. Any member may call for a division of the question, when the sense will admit of it.

24. A motion for commitment, until it is decided, shall

preclude all amendment to the main question; and all motions and reports may be committed at the pleasure of the House.

25. No new motion shall be admitted under color of amendment, as a substitute for the motion under debate.

26. No vote shall be reconsidered, unless the motion for reconsideration be made by a member who voted with the majority, nor unless notice of such motion be given on the same day on which the vote passed, or on the next day on which the House shall be in session, between the hours of ten and twelve o'clock.

27. When the reading of a paper is called for, and objected to by any member, it shall be determined by a vote of the House.

28. Any member may excuse himself from serving on any committee, at the time of his appointment, if he is then a member of two other committees who have not reported.

29. Each member shall seasonably and punctually attend his duty in the House, and no one shall absent himself from the service of the House, unless he have leave, or be sick and unable to attend.

30. The Speaker shall appoint a sergeant-at-arms whenever it may be necessary to execute the commands of the House and process issued by its authority.

OF STANDING COMMITTEES.

31. The following standing committees shall be appointed early in the June session:

A committee on Elections; a committee on the Judiciary; a committee on Banks; a committee on the State Prison; and a committee on Public Lands.

A committee on Agriculture; a committee on Manufactures; a committee on Finance; a committee on Military Affairs; a committee on Education; a committee on Incorporations; a committee on Towns and Parishes; a committee on the Division of Towns; a committee on the Asylum for the Insane; a committee on Railroads; a committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals; a committee on Unfinished Business; a committee on Mileage; to consist of ten members each.

A committee on Bills on their Second Reading; a committee on Printers' Accounts; a committee on Military Ac-

counts; and a committee on Claims-to consist of seven members each; a committee on the Alteration of Names, to

consist of five members.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Elections to examine and report upon the certificate or other credentials of the election of the members returned to serve in this House, and to take into consideration all such petitions and other matters in relation to elections and returns, as shall or may be presented, or come in question, and shall be referred to them by the House.

It shall be the duty of the committee on the Judiciary to take into their consideration all matters in relation to the judiciary system of this State; to examine and report what laws have expired or are near expiring, and require to be revived or further continued, and report their opinion on all constitutional questions that may be referred to them by the

House.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Banks to consider all applications for the incorporation of banks, and all subjects relating to such institutions, that may be referred to

them by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on the State Prison to take into consideration all matters in relation to the State Prison, to examine all reports and accounts that may be submitted by the Warden, and make such report, either by bill or otherwise, as they think the interest of the State requires.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Public Lands to consider all proposals and applications for the sale of public lands, and every matter in relation to them, that may be referred to the committee by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Agriculture to take into their consideration all matters concerning the agricultural interests of the State, and the incorporation of agricultural societies, that shall be referred to them by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Finance to examine and take into consideration the state of the treasury, to report what sum it may be necessary to raise as a State tax, and on every subject touching the financial interests of the State, that may be referred to them by the House.

It shall be the duty of the Military committee to consider all applications for altering or amending laws regulating the militia of this State, and for the removal of militia officers,

and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals to consider all applications for the incorporation of turnpikes, bridges or canals, and for the alteration of tolls, and all matters relative thereto, that may be referred to them by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Railroads to consider all petitions for the incorporation of railroads; for alterations; and all matters relative thereto, that may be re-

ferred to them by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Education to consider all subjects relative to the regulation of school districts and schools, and all matters concerning education, that may be referred to them by the House, and report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Towns and Parishes to consider all applications for the alteration of town or parish lines, by the annexation of one portion of a town or parish to another town or parish, that may be referred to them by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Division of Towns to consider all applications for incorporation of towns or parishes by division of towns or otherwise, that may be referred

to them by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Incorporations to consider and report on all applications for acts of incorporation, and all other matters which may come in question relative to bodies corporate, that may be referred to them by the House, excepting those relating to towns, parishes, turnpikes, railroads, canals, banks, agricultural societies and factories.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Unfinished Business to examine and report from the journals of the last session, all such matters as were then pending and undetermined.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Mileage to ascertain the distance travelled by each member of the House, computing the same by the nearest public travelled highway, and report to the House with the names of the several members, the distance travelled by each.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Bills on the Second Reading to take into consideration all bills on the sec-

ond reading, that may be committed for amendment, or otherwise, and to make such report thereon as they may think

expedient.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Printers' Accounts to examine and adjust all accounts against the State for printing, and every subject relating to such accounts, that may be referred to them by the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Military Accounts to examine, adjust and report on all accounts relative to the

militia, that may be referred to them by the House.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Claims to audit, adjust and report on all accounts and claims that may be presented for allowance, except accounts for printing, military accounts, and accounts for engrossing bills.

It shall be the duty of the committee on Manufactures to consider of all matters concerning the manufacturing interests of the State, and all applications for incorporation for manufacturing purposes which shall be referred to them by

the House, and to report thereon.

It shall be the duty of the committee on the Asylum for the Insane to examine all accounts, particularly those relating to the expenditure of moneys appropriated by the State; to examine in relation to the rules and government of the institution and all matters of general interest connected therewith; and all such matters as shall be referred to them by the House, and to report thereon.

32. All other committees shall consist of three members,

unless otherwise ordered.

33. The standing committees shall attend at their respective committee rooms two hours before the meeting of the House in the morning, and at such other times as the House shall order: and no committee shall sit during the sitting of the House, unless when the Speaker shall consider it to be

necessarv.

34. The first named member of any committee appointed by the Speaker of the House, shall be chairman; and in case of his absence, or being excused by the House, the next named member, and so on as often as the case shall happen, unless the committee, by a majority of the number, elect a chairman. And when any committee shall report otherwise than by bill, they shall, if the subject admit of it, subjoin to

their report a resolution making such disposition of the matter committed to them as to the committee shall seem

expedient.

35. Whenever it shall not be convenient for any standing committee to attend promptly to all the business which may properly be referred to it, the Speaker may, on a vote of the House to that effect, appoint an additional committee upon the same subject, to consist of the same number of members as the original committee, whose duty it shall be to take into consideration all matters in relation to that subject which shall be referred to them by the House, and to report thereon.

ON BILLS.

36. Every bill shall be introduced by motion for leave, or by an order of the House, on the report of a committee; and no bill shall be introduced by any member, (except on the report of a committee,) unless he shall have given at least one day's notice of his intention, and of the object of the bill to be introduced.

37. Every bill shall have three several readings in the House previous to its passage; the first reading shall be for information, and thereupon, when the bill shall have been introduced by a committee, if not rejected or otherwise disposed of, a time shall be assigned for a second reading; and upon the second reading, if not rejected, or otherwise disposed of by the House, a time shall be assigned for a third reading. When a bill shall have been introduced by a member upon leave, or by message from the Senate, and read a first time, if it be not rejected or otherwise disposed of by the House, the question shall be, Shall the bill be read a second time? and if ordered to a second reading, it shall immediately be read a second time by its title, and be by the Speaker referred to the appropriate standing committee, unless otherwise ordered by the House. No bill, after it has been read a second time, shall have a third reading until after an adjournment. The time assigned for the second and third reading of bills and resolutions shall be 11 o'clock in the forenoon, and 3 o'clock in the afternoon, unless otherwise ordered by the House.

38. No amendment shall be made, but upon the second

reading of a bill or joint resolution, and all resolutions shall be in writing, with the name of the member and the town

he represents on the back thereof.

39. All bills and all votes and resolutions that are necessary to be carried to the Senate for their concurrence, may be sent by the Assistant Clerk.

OF COMMITTEE OF THE WHOLE HOUSE.

40. The House may resolve itself into a committee of the whole House at any time, on the motion of a member made for that purpose; and in forming a committee of the whole House, the Speaker shall leave the chair, and a chairman to preside in committee shall be appointed by the Speaker.

41. Upon bills and resolutions committed to a committee of the whole House, the bill or resolution shall be first read throughout by the Clerk, and then again read and debated by clauses, leaving the preamble of the bill to be last considered: the body of the bill or resolution shall not be defaced or interlined, but all amendments, noting the page and line, shall be duly entered by the Clerk on a separate paper, as the same shall be agreed to by the committee, and so reported to the House. After report, the bill or resolution shall again be subject to be debated and amended by clauses, before a question to pass it to a third reading be taken.

42. The rules of proceeding in the House shall be observed in a committee of the whole House, so far as they may be applicable, except the rule limiting the times of speaking.

43. No standing rule or order of the House shall be rescinded without one day's notice being given of the motion therefor; nor suspended, unless by a vote therefor of two-thirds of the members present, to be ascertained by actual count, when any member shall request the same.

ORDER OF BUSINESS OF THE DAY.

44. As soon as the journal is read, the Speaker shall call for petitions from the members of the House. The petitions having been presented and disposed of, reports, first from the standing, and then from the select committees, shall be called for and disposed of. And the above business shall be done in no other part of the day, except by permission of the House.

45. The unfinished business in which the House was engaged at the last preceding adjournment, shall have the preference over all other business, except the general order of the day; and no motion on any other business, except the general order of the day, shall be received, without special leave of the House, until the former is disposed of.

The Speaker announced the following

STANDING COMMITTEES.

On Elections.—Messrs. Chase of Conway, Tuttle of Nottingham, Cilley of Deerfield, Turner of Winchester, Lumbard of Colebrook, Tilton of Gilford, Smith of Enfield, Folsom of Dover, Morrison of Alstead, Cochran of Pembroke.

On the Judiciary.—Messrs. Sargent of Wentworth, Metcalf of Newport, Bartlett of Portsmouth, Cushing of Charlestown, Plaisted of Jefferson, Thompson of Haverhill, J. H. Wiggin of Dover, Langley of Wilmot, Whipple of Columbia, Gregg of New Boston.

On Banks.—Messrs. Rust of Wolfborough, Spalding of Nashua, Pitman of Meredith, Pike of Franklin, French of Middleton, Dresser of Sutton, Marshall of Hollis, Flagg of Exeter, Putnam of Claremont, Cutter of Peterborough.

On State Prison.—Messrs. Eaton of Warner, Plumer of Epping, Holland of Meredith, Jones of Washington, Gibbs of Carroll, Dearborn of Portsmouth, Noyes of Atkinson, Wiggin of Durham, Barnard of Thornton, Whiting of Temple.

On Insane Asylum.—Messrs. Chamberlain of Keene, Hatch of Hillsborough, Preston of New Ipswich, Tibbetts of Gilmanton, Perry of Exeter, Miller of Peterborough, Quimby of Salisbury, Berry of New Durham, Eaton of Hanover, Barker of Stratham.

On Public Lands.—Messrs. Amy of Pittsburgh and Clarksville, Weeks of Chatham, Hutchins of Keene, Smith

of New Hampton, Turner of Bethlehem, Perkins of Windsor, Straw of Henniker, Wood of Cornish, Latham of Lyme, Butler of Sandown.

On Agriculture.—Messrs. Mooney of Gilmanton, Collins of Francestown, Sawyer of Sharon, Whittier of Deerfield, Fox of Jaffrey, Morrill of Brentwood, Tucker of Sunapee, Pillsbury of Henniker, Webster of Poplin, Jenkins of Barnstead.

On Manufactures.—Messrs. Knowlton of Hopkinton, Haile of Hinsdale, Wentworth of Ossipee, Blaisdell of Goffstown, Pomroy of Warren, Abbott of Manchester, Hanson of Kingston, Ray of Dunbarton, Haseltine of Jackson, Kennard of South New Market.

On Finance.—Messrs. Tennant of Allenstown, Davis of Grafton, Woodman of Alton, Randall of Richmond, Chase of Derry, W. B. Wiggin of Dover, Clough of Manchester, Jackson of Stark and Dummer, Gerrish of Boscowen, Smith of Freedom.

On Military Affairs.—Messrs. Rix of Dalton, Hook of Chichester, Adams of Fitzwilliam, Page of Sandwich, Grey of Manchester, Silsby of Acworth, Proctor of Barnstead, Davis of Lee, Head of Exeter, Southmayd of Campton.

On Education.—Messrs. Carlton of Chesterfield, Hadley of Rumney, Moran of Springfield, Maloon of Effingham, Barron of Sanbornton, Dudley of Candia, Cole of Rochester, Baxter of Bradford, Bennett of Manchester, Gove of Whitefield.

On Incorporations.—Messrs. Wheeler of Newport, Harper of Loudon, Faulkner of Keene, Ellingwood of Berlin and Milan, Gove of Weare, Holmes of Greenland, Armstrong of Walpole, Emery of Moultonborough, Connor of Sanbornton, Bailey of Salem.

On Towns and Parishes.—Messrs. Glidden of Unity, Merrill of Gilmanton, Doton of Plymouth, Hall of Croydon, Clark of Pittsfield, Fuller of Hillsborough, Garland of New Market, Lyford of Brookfield, Jewell of South Hampton, Pike of Rollinsford.

On Division of Towns.—Messrs. Atwood of Pelham, Bickford of Wolfborough, Stilphen of Bartlett, Walker of Farmington, Richardson of Alton, Cox of Holderness, Morrill of East Kingston, Gilkey of Plainfield, White of Concord, Perry of Rindge.

On Railroads.—Messrs. Weeks of Canaan, Hackett of Portsmouth, Freese of Northwood, Graves of Andover, Leavitt of Manchester, Harris of Nelson, Parrish of Albany, Pease of Meredith, Horne of Farmington, Harper of Errol.

On Roads, Bridges and Canals.—Messrs. May of Gilsum, Gould of Piermont, Drake of Pittsfield, Marston of Goshen, Moody of Landaff, Eayrs of Merrimack, Whitney of Marlborough, Sleeper of Gilford, Brock of Strafford, Atkinson of Eaton.

On the Unfinished Business of the last Session.—Messrs. Stanley of Hopkinton, McKean of Antrim, Brown of Rye, Fox of Stoddard, Fletcher of Stewartstown, Osgood of Milton, Priest of Franconia, Shorey of Rochester, Kimball of Haverhill, Weeks of Sanbornton.

On Mileage.—Messrs. Noyes of Plaistow, Dearborn of Northfield, Morrill of Dover, Russell of Lyndeborough, Carbee of Bath, Quimby of Sandwich, Holt of Loudon, Partridge of Chesterfield, Parker of Lempster, Marshall of Stratford.

On Bills on their Second Reading.—Messrs. Smith of Mont Vernon, Randall of Ellsworth, Bullard of Nashville, Huntley of Marlow, Hurd of Londonderry, Stark of Bow, Warren of Hudson.

On Printers' Accounts.—Messrs. Barker of Westmoreland, Tewksbury of Goffstown, Lamprey of North Hampton, Gray of Lincoln and Woodstock, Dearborn of Weare, Whitcher of Benton, Langdon of Portsmouth.

On Military Accounts .- Messrs. Garvin of Wakefield,

Haley of Cosport, Hartshorn of Manchester, Gove of Milford, Marshall of Hooksett, Taft of Swanzey, Morse of Hebron.

On Claims.—Messrs. Parker of Lisbon, Moulton of Centre Harbor, Carr of Newbury, Piper of Tuftonborough, Elwell of Langdon, Dow of Deering, Gray of Hancock.

On Alteration of Names.—Messrs. Smith of Grantham, Baldwin of Nashua, Fox of Auburn, Worthen of Holderness, Pike of Hanover.

JOINT STANDING COMMITTEES.

On Library.—Messrs. Hersey of Hill, Hoyt of Manchester, Sargent of Newton.

On State House and State House Yard.—Messrs. Locke of Epsom, Ward of Hampton, Whittier of Raymond.

On Engrossed Bills.—Messrs. Moses of Portsmouth, Harriman of Warner.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate of the appointment of the foregoing joint standing committees.

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the report of the Commissioners on the State Reform School.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 7, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That the message, with the accompanying report, be laid upon the table, and the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

Mr. Preston, agreeably to previous notice and by leave,

introduced a bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

On motion of Mr. Preston-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a first time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Preston-

Resolved, That the bill be laid upon the table, and that the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the annual report of the Warden of the State Prison, together with the report of the Chaplain and Physician.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 7, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying reports be laid upon the table, and the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

The Speaker announced that the following communication had been laid upon his table from the Secretary of State:

"To the Hon. Legislature of the State of New Hampshire:

I herewith lay before you the annual appraisal of property at the State Prison, agreeably to an act, approved July 12, 1850.

JOHN L. HADLEY, Secretary of State. Office of Secretary of State, June 7, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan—
Resolved, That the communication with the accompany-

ing report be laid upon the table, and the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

Mr. Chamberlain, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the

Ashuelot Bank."

Mr. Chamberlain moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a first time by its title.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?
It was decided in the affirmative.
So the House suspended their rules.
The bill was then read a first time by its title.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time? It was decided in the affirmative. The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.
Mr. Harris of Nelson, agreeably to previous notice and by
leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the
Peterborough Bank."

Mr. Harris of Nelson moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a first time by its

title.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
It was decided in the affirmative.
So the House suspended their rules.
The bill was then read a first time by its title.
On the question,
Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins of Dover, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter one hundred and fifty-one of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to procure the printing of seven hundred and fifty copies of the rules of the Senate, the rules of the House, the joint rules of the Senate and House, the Constitution of the State, the Constitution of the United States, the names of the several members of the Legislature, and the officers thereof, their places of residence, their boarding places, and the number of the seats they occupy, with a list of the standing committees of each branch, and the number of the committee room assigned to each committee, and have on their part joined Mr. Freeman."

The following further message was received from the Senate by their clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have adopted on their part the rules reported by the joint select committee appointed to prepare and report joint rules for the government of the two branches of the Legislature for the present year.

The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer and report thereon, and have on their part

joined Mr. Taylor.

. The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of Tuesday next, at four o'clock in the afternoon, for the purpose of going into the elections of Secretary of State, State Treasurer, and Public Printer."

The following further message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The President of the Senate has appointed the following gentlemen as members of the joint standing committees on the part of the Senate, to wit:

On Engrossed Bills.—Messrs. Whittemore and Merrill.
On the State Library and the purchase of books.—Mr.
Rix.

On the State House and State House Yard .- Mr. Wood-

bury."

Mr. Armstrong gave notice that he would to-morrow or on some subsequent day ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Walpole Bank."

Mr. Flanders gave notice that he would to-morrow or on some subsequent day ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled

"An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank."

On motion of Mr. Harris of Nelson-

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire whether further legislation is necessary in regard to assessing taxes on mining interests or any other property.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That the certificates of election now upon the Clerk's table be taken up and referred to the committee on Elections.

Mr. Pike of Franklin gave notice that he would to-morrow or on some subsequent day ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills."

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland— The House adjourned.

TUESDAY, June 8, 1852.

The reading of the journal having been commenced and

proceeded in, before the completion thereof,

Mr. Carleton moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the further reading of the journal be dispensed with.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to suspend their rules.

Mr. Bartlett presented the petition of J. M. Tredick and others, directors of the Rockingham Bank, praying for the grant of an extension of the charter of said bank.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. Mr. Parrish presented the petition of Zara Cutler and others, praying that the laws relating to the election of Road Commissioners may be repealed.

Mr. Cossitt presented the petition of John H. White and others, praying for further legislation relating to the floating

of timber in the Connecticut river.

Mr. Marshall presented the petition of James B. Brown and others, praying for the passage of an act to amend the charter of the Atlantic and St. Lawrence Railroad, or for further legislation relating to the construction of under-passes at highway crossings in certain cases by railroad corporations.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Judiciary.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland presented the petition of John Kimball and others, citizens of Putney and Dummerston, in the county of Windham, State of Vermont, praying for the grant of an authority to construct a bridge across the Connecticut river at or near Pierce's Ferry, in the southerly part of Westmoreland, in the county of Cheshire, State of New Hampshire.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland presented the petition of William Franklin and others, inhabitants of the county of

Cheshire, praying for the same object.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Dudley presented the petition of Mary K. Duren; Mr. Lyford presented the petition of Andrew J. Copp; Mr. Glidden presented the petition of Joseph Chase;

All praying for the alteration of their respective names.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Alteration of Names.

Mr. Cossitt presented the petition of Samuel Rines and others, praying for the grant of certain land and the gunhouse thereon, in the town of Lancaster, to the trustees of the Lancaster Academy.

On motion of Mr. Cossitt-

The petition was referred to the committee on Education. Mr. Chase of Conway presented the petition of Artemas Harmon and one hundred thirty-three others, inhabitants of the town of Eaton, praying for the division of said town; and the memorial of David Allard and forty-four others, relating to the same subject.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Division of Towns.

Mr. William B. Wiggin presented the remonstrance of Samuel Howard and others, citizens of the town of Dover, remonstrating against the prayer of the petition of Alonzo Roberts and others, praying for the division of said town, which was continued for notice at the June session of 1851.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Di-

vision of Towns.

Mr. Turner presented the petition of Samuel T. Gould and others, praying that the farms of Peter G. Russell and Cyrus Gould may be severed from the town of Bethlehem and annexed to district No. 4 in the town of Whitefield, for the purposes of schooling.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Towns

and Parishes.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins of Dover presented the petition of Thomas H. Cushing and others, praying that in the division of the town of Dover, the Cochecho river may be established as the boundary of the two portions thereof.

Ordered. That it be referred to the committee on the Di-

vision of Towns.

Mr. Spalding presented the petition of Robert Read and others, directors of the Nashua and Lowell Railroad corporation, praying for the passage of an act to provide for the adjustment of tolls with the Worcester and Nashua Railroad corporation.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

Mr. Doton presented the petition of William T. Cass and others, praying that the laws passed June, 1851, relating to the militia, may be repealed.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Milita-

ry Affairs.

Mr. Southmayd presented the petition of Charles Shedd and others, praying for the passage of an act to incorporate the Campton Library Association. Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incor-

porations.

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

" To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the reports of the Bank Commissioners, showing the condition of the banks in this State at the time of their last examination.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 7, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Spalding- illa add at believel and all

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying reports be laid upon the table, and the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

The Speaker laid before the House a report from the State Treasurer, in answer to a resolution of the House calling for the amount of money paid to the State and County School Commissioners since 1846.

On motion of Mr. Glidden of Unity- bearing moving

Resolved, That the report be laid upon the table, and that the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett of Portsmouth—

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to procure six hundred additional numbers of the report of the Commissioners of the State Reform School, for the use of the House.

Mr. Chamberlain, by leave, presented the annual return of the Cheshire Railroad, agreeably to the provisions of the law passed July 13, 1850.

Mr. Hackett, by leave, presented the annual report of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire.

Mr. Haile, by leave, presented the annual return of the directors of the Ashuelot Railroad Company.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Rail-

Mr. Perry of Exeter, by leave, presented the report of Henry F. French, one of the Bank Commissioners for the State of New Hampshire.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.

On motion of Mr. Faulkner of Keene-

Resolved, That the committee on Education be instructed to consider and report to this House whether it is expedient to repeal the eighth section of an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled "An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools."

Mr. Glidden of Unity, agreeably to previous notice, and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate

the Claremont Cutlery Company;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall it be read a second time? It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Plaisted, by leave, presented the account of James Ayers, Commissary General of the State of New Hampshire.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Milita-

ry Accounts.

Mr. Cushing, by leave, presented the annual return of the Sullivan Railroad Company.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-

roads.

Mr. Shorey, by leave, presented the annual return of the Great Falls and Conway Railroad.

. Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Railroads.

Mr. Spalding of Nashua gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct."

Mr. Gray of Manchester gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act in addition to and amendment of an act, entitled 'An act to establish the city of Manchester.'"

Mr. Flanders of Manchester, agreeably to previous notice, and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank:"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.

Mr. J. H. Wiggin, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act relating to proceedings before road commissioners;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to authorize the laying out of one or more highways over the north and south mill ponds in the city of Portsmouth."

Mr. Parker of Lisbon gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Coos Lumber Company."

Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act relating to foreign attachment on the trustee process:"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth— The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

On motion of Mr. Leavitt of Manchester-

Resolved, That when the House adjourn this afternoon they adjourn to meet to-morrow at nine o'clock in the forenoon.

Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act authorizing the Great Falls Manufacturing Company to aid in the construction of certain railroads."

Mr. Weeks of Canaan gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to establish the place for filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad."

Mr. Emery gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Red Hill Manufacturing Company."

On motion of Mr. Preston-

Resolved, That the committee on Agriculture be instructed to inquire whether any further legislation is necessary to prevent malicious injury to fruit trees.

Mr. Cox, member elect from the town of Holderness, having been duly qualified, was introduced by the Secretary of

State and took his seat in this House.

Mr. Head gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled

"An act to incorporate the Atlantic Bank."

Mr. Rogers gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty on crows."

On motion of Mr. Plaisted-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the joint select committee who were appointed to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer and report thereon, have leave at the present time to make a report.

Mr. Plaisted, from the joint select committee who were

appointed to audit the accounts of the State Treasurer, then made a report, showing the present condition of the treasury of the State, and the receipts and disbursements at that office during the past year, and also a statement of the debts due from the State;

Which was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That the report be laid upon the table, and that the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

On motion of Mr. Roberts-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to present a petition.

Mr. Roberts then presented the petition of Nathaniel Crickett and of Wingate F. Crickett, praying for the alteration of their respective names.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Al-

teration of Names.

Mr. Huckins moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to present a petition.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Huckins then presented the petition of Daniel Leathers, praying for the alteration of his name.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Al-

teration of Names.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That the House are now ready to meet the Senate in convention for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the provisions of the Constitution and laws of this State.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and

request their concurrence therein.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assem-

bled in Convention, in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the Constitution and laws of this State—

On motion of Mr. Hoitt of the Senate-

The Convention proceeded, by ballot, to the choice of Secretary of State.

On the first balloting the chairman of the Convention an-

nounced the state of the vote, as follows:

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Whole number of votes cast,	284
Necessary to a choice,	143
Edson Hill had	
John E. Bickford had	2
Moses A. Cartland had	MANAGER A
William H. Hackett had	86
JOHN L. HADLEY had	165

—and John L. Hadley was accordingly declared elected Secretary of State for the ensuing political year.

On motion of Mr. Knowlton of Hopkinton, of the House— The Convention proceeded, by ballot, to the choice of State Treasurer.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote, as follows:

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Whole number of votes cast,	283
Necessary to a choice,	142
George P. Folsom had	2
William A. White had	28
A. H. Bellows had	86
Edson Hill had	167

—and Edson Hill was accordingly declared elected State Treasurer for the ensuing political year.

On motion of Mr. Harriman of Warner, of the House— The Convention proceeded, by ballot, to the choice of Public Printer.

On the first balloting the chairman announced the state of the vote, as follows:

Whole number of votes cast,	283
Necessary to a choice,	142
Edson Hill had	1
Cyrus Barton had	1
Albin Beard had MONTMAN NOO VIE	3
John H. Goodale had	29
Messrs. McFarland & Jenks had	85

Messrs. Butterfield & Hill were accordingly declared elected Public Printers for the ensuing political year.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, of the House-

The Convention arose and the Senate withdrew.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Mr. Wheeler of Newport-

Resolved, That a committee be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon the Secretary of State, State Treasurer, and Public Printers elect, and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept, to receive of them the bonds required by law, and lay the same before the Convention.

Ordered, That Messrs. Wheeler, Adams of Manchester, and Marshall of Hooksett, be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Osgood of Milton-

Resolved, That the Secretary inform the Chaplain of the House of the sickness and confinement of Rev. James Doldt, a member from Milton, and that special prayer be offered in his behalf.

Mr. Spalding of Nashua, by leave, presented the annual return of the Concord Railroad.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Railroads.

Mr. Gove of Weare, by leave, presented the annual return of the New Hampshire Central Railroad.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-

roads.

On motion of Mr. Carleton-

The House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, June 9, 1852.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan presented the petition of Jesse Martin and one hundred sixteen others, the petition of James Pattee and fifty-three others, and the petition of D. G. A. Foster and nine others, all praying that a third judicial district may be created in the county of Grafton, to be called the southern judical district of the county of Grafton;

Mr. Blaisdell of Dorchester presented the petition of Uriah F. Larey and forty-three others, praying for the same ob-

ject.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That they be referred to a select committee to

consist of the delegation from the county of Grafton.

Mr. Jones of Washington presented the petition of S. W. Jones and others, praying for the removal of a certain officer therein named.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Milita-

ry Affairs.

Mr. Armstrong of Walpole presented the petition of David Buffum and others, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank in the town of Walpole.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. Mr. Metcalf of Newport presented the remonstrance of Charles Hastings and seventy-three others, legal voters of the town of New Ipswich, remonstrating against the right of the members from that town to seats in this House.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Elec-

tions.

Mr. Jones of Washington presented the petition of Joseph Healey and others, praying for further legislation relating to the collection of non-resident taxes.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

Mr. Perry of Exeter presented the petition of N. G. Gilman and others, praying for the passage of a law to increase the salary of the Treasurer of the county of Rockingham.

On motion of Mr. Perry-

Resolved, That the petition be referred to a select committee to consist of the delegation from the county of Rockingham.

Mr. Atwood of Pelham presented the petition of David Cutter and forty-one others, praying for the passage of an act to repeal an act, entitled "An act for the further protection of personal liberty."

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth presented the petition of Timothy Clifford, praying for the alteration of the name of Elphameo Nascaleno Libby;

Mr. Brown of Rye presented the petition of Asa Dear-

born Locke;

Mr. Sargent of Newton presented the petition of Daniel Orin Locke and James Carter;

Mr. Walker of Portsmouth presented the petition of Wil-

liam Cate;

All praying for the alteration of certain names.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the Alteration of Names.

Mr. Carbee of Bath presented the petition of Phineas Chamberlain, 2d, and others, praying for further legislation

relating to the improvement of common schools.

Mr. Fox of Jaffrey presented the petition of Leonard Tenney, praying for the passage of a law to authorize the study of anatomy, physiology and hygiene in common schools, and to require that teachers may be examined as to their qualifications to teach those branches;

Mr. Hadley of Rumney presented the petition of S. H.

Quincy and others;

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth presented the petition of Charles Shedd and others, members of the Teachers' Institute for the county of Grafton;

All praying for the same object.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Edcation.

Mr. Garvin, from the committee on Military Accounts,

made the following report:

The committee on Military Accounts, to whom was referred the account of James Ayers, Commissary General, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

E. GARVIN, Jr., for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That James Ayers be allowed four hundred and forty-seven dollars and fifty-seven cents, as Commissary General, in full of his account against the State, and that the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the joint resolution which was reported from the committee on Mili-

tary Accounts;

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the resolution be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Faulkner of Keene, from the select committee who were appointed to take into consideration the message of His Excellency the Governor, and report what disposition shall be made of the several subjects embraced therein, made the following report:

The committee appointed to take into consideration the message of His Excellency the Governor, and report what disposition shall be made of the several subjects embraced therein, have attended to the duty assigned them, and have instructed me to report the following resolution:

F. A. FAULKNER, for the committee.

Resolved, That so much of the Governor's message as relates to education be referred to the committee on Education; so much as relates to agriculture, to the committee on Agriculture; so much as relates to the indebtedness of the State, to the committee on Finance; so much as relates to the Asylum for the Insane, to the committee on the Insane Asylum; so much as relates to the State Prison, to the committee on the State Prison; so much as relates to corporations, to the committee on Incorporations; so much as relates to the judiciary, the State Reform School, the right of suffrage, and national affairs, to the committee on the Judiciary; so much as relates, to the militia, to the committee on Military Affairs; so much as relates to temperance, to a select committee of ten, consisting of one from each county; and so much as relates to re-districting the State for the

choice of Representatives, be referred to a select committee of ten, one from each county;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

" To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the reports of the Insurance Commissioners, showing the condition of the several insurance companies in this State.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 8, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying documents be laid on the table.

Mr. Hackett, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act authorizing the Great Falls Manufacturing Company to aid in the construction of the Great Falls and Conway Railroad and the Great Falls and South Berwick Branch Railroad;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Railroads.

Mr. Spalding, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to establish the place for filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Railroads.

Mr. Rogers, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty for killing crows;' " months and the

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, 'That it be referred to the committee on Agricul-

ture.

Mr. Pike of Franklin, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills:"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Manufactures.

Mr. Parker of Lisbon, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Coos Lumber Company;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incor-

porations. Mr. Hackett, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to authorize the laying out of one or more highways over the north and south millponds in the city of Portsmouth;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals.

On motion of Mr. Pearson of Nashua-

Resolved, That His Excellency the Governor be requested to communicate to the House what action, if any, has been taken on chapter 1157 of the pamphlet laws, relating to obstructions in the Connecticut and Merrimack rivers, preventing the free passage up and down of salmon, shad, and other fish.

On motion of Mr. Whitney of Marlborough-

Resolved, That the committee on Education be instructed to inquire whether any legislation is necessary in relation to the distribution of the literary fund, and report by bill or otherwise.

On motion of Mr. Preston-

Resolved, That when the House adjourn this forenoon, it adjourn to meet at two o'clock this afternoon.

Mr. Hackett, by leave, presented the account of Alfred J.

Hill.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Accounts.

Mr. Metcalf of Newport gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill to alter the times and place of holding the terms of the

superior court of judicature of this State.

Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act relating to the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad, and the Portsmouth and Concord Railroad."

Mr. Southmayd gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to establish the Campton Library Association, in the town of Campton."

Mr. Tennant gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled

"An act to incorporate the Suncook Savings Bank."

Mr. Clark of Pittsfield gave notice that he would to-mor-

row, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act in addition to an act, entitled 'An act to incorporate the First Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield."

On motion of Mr. Chamberlain—
The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Mr. Abbott of Manchester moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at this time to present sundry petitions.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Abbott of Manchester then presented the petition of Andrew P. Peabody and twenty-four thousand five hundred and ninety-eight others, legal voters of this State, and the petition of Elizabeth Hale Smith and forty-seven thousand seven hundred and seventy others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, total seventy-two thousand three hundred and seventy, praying for the passage of an act as nearly as possible identical with that of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

On motion of Mr. Abbott of Manchester-

Resolved, That the petitions be referred to the select committee to whom was referred so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to temperance.

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved, That the committee on the Insane Asylum be instructed to inquire into the situation of the legacy of Miss Catharine Fiske to said Asylum, now in the State Treasury, and whether any further legislation is necessary or expedient for the protection and management of the same, and report by bill or otherwise.

Mr. Spalding gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on

some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company."

Mr. Emery, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, intraduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Red Hill Manufacturing Company;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time;

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Manufactures.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to wait on the Secretary of State, State Treasurer, and Public Printer elect, and inform them of their election, and if they accept, to receive of them the bonds required by law, and lay the same before the Convention of the two Houses, and have on their part joined Mr. Hoitt."

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the State Reform School, and that the same be referred to the consideration of a select committee, to consist of ten members of the House.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to deliver the unfinished business of the last session to the standing committee on that subject.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, introduce a bill, entitled "An act to prevent imposition in the sale of medicines."

On motion of Mr. Adams of Fitzwilliam—
The House adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 10, 1852.

Mr. Head presented the petition of Rebecca E. Wells and two hundred and twelve others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, praying for the passage of an act as nearly as possible identical with that of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Mr. Glidden presented the petition of Ruel Huntoon and ninety-eight others, minors under the age of twenty-one

years, inhabitants of the town of Unity;

Also the petition of Tappan Sanborn and forty-nine oth-

ers, legal voters in the town of Unity;

Mr. Parker of Lempster presented the petition of Mary Taylor and one hundred sixty-five others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, inhabitants of the town of Lempster;

Mr. Cilley of Deerfield presented the petition of Stephen

Brown and nineteen others;

Mr. Moody of Dover presented the petition of C. J. Adams and one hundred eighty-eight others, students of Dartmouth College;

Mr. Pike of Lempster presented the petition of Henry Hurd and eighty-eight others, legal voters in the town of

Lempster;

Mr. Lane of Wilton presented the petition of Timothy Abbott and one hundred and seventy-seven others, legal vot-

ers of the town of Wilton;

Mr. Marston presented the petition of John Gunnison and twenty-six others, legal voters in the town of Goshen, and of twenty-six females and minors over fourteen years of age, from the same town;

All praying for the same object.

Ordered, That they be referred to the select committee on the subject of temperance.

Mr. Smith of Mont Vernon presented the petition of Geo.

Stevens and others;

Mr. Barron of Sanbornton presented the petition of Corbin Curtis and thirty others;

Mr. Glidden presented the petition of Truman Smith and

fifty-three others, members of the Teachers' Institute for the county of Sullivan;

Also the petition of Milton P. Currier and fifteen others,

residents in the town of Unity;

Mr. Collins presented the petition of Mr. Taylor and others;

Mr. Gregg presented the petition of James Danforth and

others;

All praying for the passage of a law to authorize the study of anatomy, physiology and hygiene in common schools, and to require that teachers may be examined as to their qualificatious to teach those branches.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Ed-

ucation.

Mr. Ray presented the petition of Spurzheim Gall;

Mr. Gregg of New Boston presented the petition of Francis H. Langmayd;

Mr. Hatch presented the petition of Jemima G. Gerry; Mr. Fisher presented the petition of Russell Copeland;

And Mr. Tucker presented the petition of Hezekiah B. Colby;

All praying for the alteration of their respective names. Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Alteration of Names.

Mr. Huse presented the petition of Converse Goodhue and twenty-nine others;

Mr. Weeks of Canaan presented the petition of Jonathan

Kittridge and twenty-seven others;

Praying that a third judicial district may be created in the county of Grafton, to be called the southern judicial district of the county of Grafton.

Ordered, That they be referred to the select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Grafton.

Mr. Holland presented the petition of the field officers of the thirty-ninth regiment, praying for the removal of certain officers therein named.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military

Affairs.

Mr. Hackett presented the petition of Sterratt Anderson and others, praying for further legislation relating to bowling alleys and billiard rooms.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

Mr. Head presented the petition of William Perry and others, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank to be established in the town of Exeter.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. Mr. Bartlett, from the committee on the Judiciary, made

the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of Zara Cutler and others, praying for the repeal of the act constituting the board of road commissioners, have directed me to report the following resolution:

ICHABOD BARTLETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That it is inexpedient to grant the prayer of the petition of Zara Cutler and others;

Which was accepted.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, from the same committee,

made the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of the Nashua and Lowell Railroad Corporation, praying for the adjustment of tolls with the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Corporation, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution:

J. E. SARGENT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be discharged from the further consideration of said petition, and that the same be referred to the committee on Railroads;

Which was accepted. On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the committee on Railroads, made the following report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the

bill, entitled "An act to establish the place for filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad," have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a third time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered, That it be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Stanley, from the committee on Unfinished Business,

made the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act for the relief of the Wilton Railroad Company," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

HORACE C. STANLEY, for the committee.

Resolved, That said bill be referred to the committee on Railroads;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Fox of Stoddard, from the same committee, made the

following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the President, Directors and Company of the Lake Village Bank," have instructed me to report the following resolution.

ELIPHALET FOX, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to the committee on Banks;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Stanley, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to create a third judicial district in the county of Grafton," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

HORACE C. STANLEY, for the committee.

Resolved, That the bill be referred to the committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Grafton;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Brown, from the same committee, made the following

report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to amend the charter of the Cheshire Mutual Fire Insurance Company," have had that subject under consideration, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

JONATHAN BROWN, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to the committee on Incorporations;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.
Mr. Rust, from the select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Carroll, made the following re-

port:

The delegation from the county of Carroll, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll," having had that subject under consideration, have directed me to report the same without amendment.

HENRY B. RUST, for the delegation.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the reports of the Cochecho, Nashua and Lowell, Northern, Wilton, Worcester and Nashua, and Boston and Maine Railroads.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 8, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

The message and the accompaning documents were laid upon the table.

The Speaker announced that the following further message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

"To the Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the report of the Railroad Commissioners, showing the condition of the several railroads in the State.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 9, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying reports be referred to the committee on Railroads.

The Speaker announced the select committee on so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to temperance, as follows:

Messrs. Metcalf of Newport, Preston of New Ipswich, Parker of Lisbon, Faulkner of Keene, Cossitt of Lancaster, Seavey of Concord, Jenkins of Barnstead, Frink of Newington, Parrish of Albany, and Huckins of Madbury.

The Speaker announced the select committee on so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to

the State Reform School, as follows:

Messrs. Bartlett of Portsmouth, Chase of Conway, Chamberlain of Keene, Wheeler of Newport, J. H. Wiggins of Dover, Parsons of Bennington, Pike of Franklin, Pitman of Meredith, Cragin of Lebanon, and Plaisted of Jefferson.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of

common pleas in the county of Grafton.

Mr. Hackett, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act relating to the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad, and the Portsmouth and Concord Railroad;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Railroads.

Mr. Thompson, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to extend an act, entitled 'An act to incorporate the Grafton County Bank;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. Mr. Spalding, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

"To the House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit a communication from the Attorney General, the Hon. John Sullivan, upon the subject of obstructions in the Connecticut and Merrimack rivers, preventing the free passage up and down of salmon, shad, and other fish.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 10, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the message, with the accompanying communication, be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Chamberlain of Keene gave notice that he would to-

morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill relating to a company to render Connecticut river navigable by Bellows Falls.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That when the House adjourn this forenoon, it adjourn to meet to-morrow at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

The House adjourned.

FRIDAY, June 11, 1852.

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Mr. Rogers presented the petition of Herman H. Palmer and thirty-five others, legal voters of the town of Orford, and of Sarah B. Willard and twenty-four others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, of the same town;

Mr. Preston presented the memorial of the town of New Ipswich, from the legal voters in said town at their annual

meeting;

Mr. Young presented the petition of David F. Tutherly and eleven others, legal voters of the town of Claremont, and the petition of Susan S. Tutherly and forty-four others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, of the same town;

Mr. Tennant presented the petition of W. W. Benjamin and fifty-five others, students of the Pembroke Gymnasium;

Mr. Harriman of Warner presented the petition of Charles C. Goss and forty-seven others, students of the Methodist Biblical Institute;

Mr. Lumbard presented the petition of Lewis Snow and twenty-three others, and the petition of Harriet J. Snow and

thirty-one others;

All praying for the passage of a law as nearly as possible identical with that of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Ordered, That they be referred to the select committee

on temperance.

Mr. Preston presented the petition of the directors of the

Peterborough and Shirley Railroad Company, praying for the passage of an act to amend their charter.

Mr. Gove of Milford presented the petition of the directors

and Superintendent of the Wilton Railroad Company.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Railroads.

Mr. Pike of Franklin presented the petition of David Gilchrist and thirty-two others, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank to be established in the town of Franklin.

Mr. Flagg presented the petition of George O. Hilton and others, inhabitants of the town of South New Market, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank to be established in the town of Exeter.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on

Banks.

Mr. Whitney of Marlborough presented the petition of Giles Lyman and fifty-six others, praying for the passage of a law to authorize the study of anatomy, physiology and hygiene in common schools, and to require that teachers may be examined as to their qualifications to teach those branches.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Whitney of Nashua presented the petition of the field officers of the fifth regiment of the New Hampshire militia, praying for the removal of a certain officer therein named.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committe on Military

Affairs.

Mr. Quarles presented the petition of Brackett Wiggin and one hundred fifteen others, legal voters of the town of Ossipee, praying for the division of said town.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Di-

vision of Towns.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, from the committee on the

Judiciary, made the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of Sterratt Anderson and others of Portsmouth, praying for an act to regulate bowling alleys and billiard rooms, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution:

J. E. SARGENT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Bartlett, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of David Cutter and others, praying for the passage of an act to repeal an act, entitled "An act for the further protection of personal liberty," have considered the same, and have instructed me to report the accompanying bill.

ICHABOD BARTLETT, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee on the Judiciary, entitled "An act to repeal an act for the further protectiou of personal liberty, passed July 10, 1846;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Priest, from the committee on Unfinished Business.

made the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom were referred the bill, entitled "An act to disannex a portion of the town of Lyndeborough and annex the same to Mont Vernon," and the petition of Abram French and others, praying for the same object, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution:

MOODY PRIEST, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill and petition be referred to the committee on the Division of Towns;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Shorey, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act relating to repairs of the jail in the county of Strafford, made a report, whereupon-

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be referred to the committee to consist of the delegation from

the county of Strafford.

Mr. Stanley, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to prevent frauds at elections, and for the better security of the ballot," made a report, whereupon—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be

referred to the committee on Elections.

Mr. Thompson, from the committee on the Judiciary,

made the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter 151 of the Revised Statutes," having had the subject under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution:

CHARLES E. THOMPSON, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

Which was accepted and the resolution agreed to.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of providing for a revision and codification of the statute laws of this State.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland introduced the following res-

olution:

Resolved, That the committee on Military Affairs be instructed to inquire into the expediency of so amending the militia laws of this State, as to require active duty of the militia of this State.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Head, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Atlantic Bank."

The reading of the bill having been commenced and proceeded in, before the completion thereof,

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the farther reading of the bill be dispensed with, and that the same be read a first time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. The House proceeded to the consideration of the orders of the day upon the resolution in favor of James Ayers, Commissary General of this State;

Which was read a second time.

Ordered, That it be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

The House proceeded in the orders of the day to the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act for the further protection of personal liberty, passed July 10, 1846;"

Which was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Pike of Franklin-

Resolved, That the bill be laid upon the table.

Mr. Clark of Pittsfield, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in addition to an act to incorporate David Drake and his associates into a religious society by the name of the First Freewill Anti-Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield and its vicinity;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Metcalf, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act dividing the State into judicial districts and altering the times and place of holding the terms of the superior court;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in addition to and in amendment of chapter forty-five of the Revised Statutes, in relation to the collection of taxes:"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to introduce a bill.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?
It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth then introduced a bill, entitled "An act relating to the admissibility of witnesses on the trial of civil actions;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Tennant, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Suncook Savings Bank;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. Mr. Young gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill to provide for publishing certain agricultural reports.

Mr. Metcalf gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill relating

to the taxation of the surplus capital of banks.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth— The House resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act for the further protection of personal liberty,' passed July 10, 1846."

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That the bill be laid upon the table, and be made the special order of the day for Tuesday next, at half past eleven o'clock in the forenoon.

On motion of Mr. Harris of Nelson— The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the general orders of the day upon bills of the following titles and the following resolution:

"An act to establish the place for filing the list of stock-holders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad;"

"An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll;"

A resolution in favor of James Ayers, the Commissary General of this State;

Which were severally read a third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the titles of the bills be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Pike of Franklin gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Merrimack River Bank at Franklin."

Mr. Chase of Conway gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company."

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

The House resumed the consideration of the report of the committee who were appointed to consider and report to this House whether it is expedient to hold an adjourned session of the Legislature the present year, and if so, at what time the same shall be holden, and at what time the present session may be closed.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolutions which were reported from the committee?

Mr. Bartlett called for a division of the question upon each resolution.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the first resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the second resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the resolutions were severally agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have passed a bill with the following title, in which they ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to wit:

'An act in amendment of chapter seventy-three of the

Revised Statutes."

The House proceeded to the consideration of the foregoing bill, which came down from the Senate, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Educa-

Mr. Gray of Manchester, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in addition to and amendment of an act, entitled 'An act to establish the city of Manchester;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Stanley-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspend-

ed that he have leave to make a report.

Mr. Stanley, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of Alonzo Roberts and others, praying for the passage of an act to divide the town of Dover, having had the same under consideration, made a report, whereupon-

Resolved, That the said petition be referred to the com-

mittee on the Division of Towns.

Mr. Stanley, from the same committee, to whom was referred the petition of Henry E. Baldwin and others, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank to be established in the town of Newport, made a report, whereupon-

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition

be referred to the committee on Banks.

Mr. Adams of Manchester gave notice that he would tomorrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill relating to truant children.

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the standing and select committees of the House have leave at this time to make their reports.

Mr. McKean, from the committee on Unfinished Business,

by leave, made the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of John M. Whiton and others, praying for the passage of a law to dissolve a trust, having had that subject under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

C. McKEAN, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the petition be referred to the committee on the Judiciary;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Shorey, from the same committee, made the following

report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the resolution instructing the Judiciary committee to inquire into the expediency of adopting the secret ballot in the election of certain officers therein named, and the report of the Judiciary committee of last year upon the same; "An

act in addition to chapter two hundred and fifteen of the Revised Statutes;" "An act in amendment of the twentyfourth chapter of the Revised Statutes;" "An act in amendment of chapter forty-six of the Revised Statutes;" a joint resolution to repeal chapter seven hundred and fifty-one of the Revised Statutes; report of the committee of last year on spiritual knockings; "An act to regulate the examination of parties to actions;" a petition from the citizens of Newbury, praying for a revision of the laws relating to the sealing of weights and measures; "An act to remove the terms of the superior court and the court of common pleas from Newport to Claremont, in the county of Sullivan;" "An act relative to judicial proceedings;" having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

STEPHEN SHOREY, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the foregoing resolution and bills be referred to the committee on the Judiciary;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Carleton, from the committee on Education, to whom was referred the resolution instructing them to consider and report upon the expediency of repealing the eighth section of the law, entitled "An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools, made a report, whereupon-

Resolved, That it is inexpedient to legislate upon that

subject.

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

" To the Hon. Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the several reports of the Visitors, Trustees, Superintendent and Treasurer of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane. NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 11, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying reports be referred to the committee on the Insane Asylum.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That when the House adjourn it adjourn to meet to-morrow at eight o'clock in the forenoon.

On motion of Mr. Noves of Plaistow-

Resolved, That each member of the House furnish the Doorkeepers thereof with his name, place of residence, and mileage by the nearest travelled highway to this place.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of a resolution in favor of James Ayers."

On motion of Mr. Barron—
The House adjourned.

SATURDAY, June 12, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the reading of the journal of yesterday be dispensed with.

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Mr. J. H. Wiggin moved a call of the roll of the members of the House.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The call of the roll of the members of the House having been commenced and proceeded in, before the completion thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That further proceedings under the call be dispensed with.

Mr. Tennant presented the petition of Sterling Sargent

and Charles C. Nichols, praying that a certain tract of land may be severed from the town of Hooksett and annexed to the town of Allenstown.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Towns

and Parishes.

Mr. Hazeltine presented the petition of John S. Gerrish and seventy-four others, legal voters of the town of Jackson, praying that the town of Jackson may be severed from the county of Coos, and that the same may be annexed to the county of Carroll.

On motion of Mr. Hazeltine—

Resolved, That the petition be referred to the committee consisting of the delegations from the counties of Coos and Carroll.

Mr. Humphrey presented the petition of Cordelia Hinds,

praying for the alteration of her name.

Mr. Parker presented the petition of Josiah R. Perrington, praying for the alteration of the name of Ellen C. Carpenter.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the Alteration of Names.

Mr. Amy presented the petition of David F. Hall and thirty-five others, legal voters in the town of Pittsburg, praying for the grant to Ephraim C. Aldrich and Ira Quimby of whatever interest this State may have to two lots of land of one hundred acres each, now occupied by them.

Mr. Amy presented the petition of E. D. Hutchinson and 20 others, citizens of the town of Pittsburg, praying for the grant to E. C. Sawyer of whatever interest this State may have in two lots of land formerly occupied by his two sons,

lately deceased.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Public Lands.

Mr. Whipple presented the petition of Orson Stevens and others, praying for the grant of an authority to construct a bridge across the Connecticut river, between the town of Columbia and the town of Bloomfield, in the State of Vermont.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Haley presented the petition of William C. Newton and others, selectmen of the town of Gosport, praying for

the grant of an appropriation to enable them to construct a house of correction in the town of Gosport.

Mr. Metcalf presented the petition of John Hildreth, praying that a committee may be appointed to examine into the liability of the officers of the Wolf borough Bank to redeem certain bills in his hands.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Fox of Stoddard, from the committee on Unfinished Business, to whom were referred the petition of Milton Chaplin and others, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank to be established in the town of Fitzwilliam; the petition of Eleazer Jackson and others, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank to be established in the town of Claremont; the petition of P. C. Freeman and others, praying for the same object; the petition of Stephen P. Steele and others, citizens of the towns of Peterborough, Hancock and Dublin, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank to be established in the town of Peterborough; the petition of Isaac F. Williams and seventy others, praying the Legislature to enact a law to authorize free banking; also the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the President, Directors and company of the State Bank at Concord;" also the report from the committee on Banks of June session, 1851, relating to the amount of banking capital in this State that is now taken up and stock issued, the amount granted and not taken up, where located, and the amount which in the opinion of said committee the public good requires the same to be increased, made a report, whereupon-

Resolved, That the further consideration of the foregoing petitions, report and bills, be referred to the committee on Banks.

Mr. Stanley, from the same committee, to whom were referred the petition of William Merrill and others, the petition of Asahel Wheeler and others, legal voters of the town of Bath, and the petition of William Whicher and thirty-six others, legal voters of the town of Benton, all praying for further legislation relating to the laying out of highways, also the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of the laws relating to the laying out of highways," made a report, where-upon—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the forego-

ing petitions and bill be referred to the committee on Roads,

Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Stanley, from the same committee, to whom were referred the petition of F. C. Kittridge and others, inhabitants of the town of Mont Vernon, praying that a certain tract of land may be severed from the town of Lyndeborough and annexed to the town of Mont Vernon, the petition of Nathaniel Bruce and twenty-two others, and the petition of William Conant and others, inhabitants of the town of Mont Vernon, and the petition of Joel H. Tarbell and one hundred sixty-seven others, legal voters of the town of Lyndeborough, praying that the further consideration of the bill, entitled "An act to sever a certain tract of land from the town of Lyndeborough and annex the same to the town of Mont Vernon," may be postponed to the next session of the Legislature; also the petition of Levi Averill and ninety-two others, being a majority of the legal voters of the town of Mont Vernon, praying that the further consideration of the bill may not be postponed to the next session of the Legislature, and the remonstrance of Robert Brown and ten others, remonstrating against the prayer of the petition of Abram French and others, made a report, whereupon—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the foregoing petitions and remonstrances be referred to the committee on

Towns and Parishes.

Mr. Osgood, from the same committee, to whom were referred the petition of Levi Chamberlain and others, praying for the passage of an act to incorporate the Ashuelot Mutual Fire Insurance Company, and the petition of Samuel Webber and others, praying for the passage of an act to incorporate the Sullivan County Mutual Insurance Company, made a report, whereupon—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the foregoing petitions be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Stanley, from the same committee, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to authorize the laying out of highways over the north and south mill ponds in the city of Portsmouth," made a report, whereupon—

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Carleton, from the committee on Education, made the following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the petition of Samuel Rines and others, praying for a release from the State of any title said State may have to the gunhouse or land on which it stands, situa.ed in Lancaster, to the trustees of Lancaster Academy, have had the same under consideration, and direct me to report the following joint resolution.

HARVEY CARLETON, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the State release to the trustees of the Lancaster Academy all their title and interest to the gun-house and land situated in Lancaster;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of resolutions relating to the expediency of holding an adjourned session of the Legislature and to the time when the business of the present session may be brought to a close."

On motion of Mr. Garvin-

Resolved, That the House of Representatives will be ready to meet the Senate in convention for the purpose of proceeding in the election of Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General, on Wednesday next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, agreeably to the provision of the laws of this State.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Metcalf, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in relation to the taxation of the surplus capital of banks;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, 'That it be referred to the committee on Banks. Mr. Young, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Agriculture.

Mr. Adams, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act concerning truant children;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

Resolved, That the committee on Railroads be instructed to inquire into the expediency and necessity of a special investigation of the affairs of the New Hampshire Central Railroad.

On motion of Mr. Jones of Washington-

Resolved, That when the House adjourn this forenoon, it adjourn to meet on Monday next at four o'clock in the afternoon.

On motion of Mr. Baxter-

The House adjourned.

MONDAY, June 14, 1852.

Mr. Cole presented the petition of Abigail McDuffie and twenty-eight others, and the petition of Lewis McDuffie and twelve others; Mr. Abbott of Manchester presented the petition of Henry L. Patten and forty-seven others, females and minors over

fourteen years of age;

Mr. Gray of Woodstock presented the petition of Royal Jackman and forty-two others, legal voters of the town of Woodstock, and the petition of T. P. Atwood and fifty-five others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, inhabitants of the same town;

Mr. Abbott of Manchester presented the petition of Sam-

uel Webster and one hundred forty-seven others;

All praying for the passage of a law as nearly as possible identical with that of the State of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Ordered, That they be referred to the select committee

on Temperance.

Mr. Atwood of Pelham presented the petition of Stephen Fessenden and others, praying for the passage of an act to incorporate the Fessenden Mills Company.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Manu-

factures.

Mr. Marston presented the petition of Reuben W. Gunnison and others, praying for the passage of a law to authorize the study of anatomy, physiology and hygiene in common schools, and to require that teachers may be examined as to their qualifications to teach those branches.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Educa-

tion.

Mr. Putnam presented the petition of William Rossiter and others, praying for the passage of an act to amend the charter of the Sullivan Savings Institution.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks. Mr. Harriman presented the petition of Philip Colby and forty-four others, praying for the grant of an authority to railroad corporations to sell their roads in certain cases.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-

roads.

Mr. Harris of Nelson presented the petition of Ellen L. Graves, praying for the alteration of her name.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Al-

teration of Names.

Mr. White of Concord presented the petition of Alpheus

Morrill and others, praying for the passage of an act to incorporate the Homœopathic Medical Society.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Educa-

tion.

Mr. Pitman presented the annual return of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-

roads.

The Speaker announced that the State Treasurer had laid upon his table an estimate of the probable receipts and disbursements at the Treasury from June 2, to December 1, 1852.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Finance.

On motion of Mr. Bennett of Manchester-

Resolved, That the use of the Representatives' Hall be granted to the Legislative Temperauce Society this evening.

The Speaker announced that the following message had been received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the assignment of Wednesday next, at eleven o'clock in the forenoon, for the purpose of proceeding in the election of Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General, agreeably to the provisions of the laws of this State."

The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

"To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the annual report and returns of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 14, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That the message, with the accompanying report, be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

On motion of Mr. Preston-

The House resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled

"An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

On motion of Mr. Preston-

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be referred to the select committee on the subject of temperance.

Mr. Metcalf gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to re-district this State for the choice of members of Congress.

Mr. Plaisted, by leave, presented the account of the Dep-

uty Commissary General.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Milita-

ry Accounts.

Mr. Pearson gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter two hundred and twenty-five of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings in criminal cases."

Mr. Pike of Franklin, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the

Merrimack River Bank."

Mr. Metcalf moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a first time by its title.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

So the House suspended their rules.

The bill was then thus read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins of Dover gave notice that he would tomorrow, or upon some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill in amendment of chapter seven hundred twentynine of the pamphlet laws.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, by leave, presented the report

of the State Librarian.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That it be referred to the committee on the Library.

Mr. Metcalf gave notice that he would to-morrow, or on some subsequent day, ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Sugar River Bank."

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, by leave, presented the ac-

count of David Watson.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. White of Concord, by leave, presented the report of the Concord and Claremont Railroad.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-

roads.

Mr. Chase of Conway, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of further legislation in relation to the collection of taxes upon railroad corporations.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That the use of this Hall be granted to Rev. Charles Spear, for a lecture at half past seven o'clock on Wednesday evening next.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

The House adjourned.

TUESDAY, June 15, 1852.

Mr. Harris of Dublin presented the petition of R. N. Porter and twenty-five others, and the petition of L. W. Leonard and twenty others, praying for the passage of a law to au-

thorize the study of anatomy, physiology and hygiene in common schools, and to require that teachers may be examined as to their qualifications to teach those branches.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Ed-

ucation.

Mr. Hersey presented the petition of the field officers of the thirty-fourth regiment, praying for the removal of an officer therein named.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military

Affairs.

Mr. Mason presented the petition of Benjamin Durgin and forty-two others, legal voters in the town of Tamworth, the petition of George H. Flanders and thirty-one others, females and minors over fourteen years of age;

Mr. Fox of Jaffrey presented the petition of Jonas Pierce and nine others, legal voters in the town of Jaffrey, and the petition of Polly Pierce and twenty-two others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, from the same town:

Mr. Preston presented the petition of William Wilkinson and three others, legal voters in the town of Rochester, and the petition of C. C. E. Wilkinson and sixteen others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, the petition of Reuben Monroe and seven others, legal voters in the town of Washington, the petition of Amos B. Thompson and thirty-two others, legal voters in the town of Sutton, the petition of Amos Pillsbury and nineteen others, inhabitants of the same town, the petition of Aaron Russell and twenty others, legal voters in the same town, the petition of Charles O. Brockway and eighteen others, from the town of Washington, and the petition of Nancy D. Peaslee and forty-eight other, females and minors over fourteen years of age, inhabitants of the town of Sutton;

Mr. Young presented the petition of Joseph Richardson and ninety-one others, legal voters in the town of Cornish, and the petition of Lydia Richardson and two hundred thirty-one others, females and minors over fourteen years of age,

inhabitants of the same town;

Mr. Huse presented the petition of Philip Huntoon and sixty-eight others, legal voters in the town of Enfield, and the petition of Sarah A. Godfrey and one hundred twenty-three others, females and minors over fourteen years of age;

All praying for the passage of a law as nearly as possible

identical with that of the State of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Ordered, That they be referred to the select committee

on the subject of temperance.

Mr. Daniels of Milford presented the petition of the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing association, praying for the grant of an authority to change their name.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Manu-

factures.

Mr. Chase of Conway presented the petition of Nathaniel T. P. Davis and seven others, inhabitants of Hart's Location, praying that Hart's Location may be severed from the county of Coos and annexed to the county of Carroll.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the petition be referred to the select committee to consist of the delegations from the counties of Coos and Carroll.

Mr. Dresser presented the petition of John Quincy Adams

Maloon;

Mr. Gray of Woodstock presented the petition of William Fairbrother and Isabella S. Fairbrother;

Mr. Moses of Portsmouth presented the petition of Samu-

el Whidden, 2d;

All praying for the alteration of their respective names.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Alteration of Names.

Mr. Cossitt presented the petition of Royal Joyslin and others, praying for the passage of an act to sever Carlisle Grant from the town of Pittsburg.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Towns

and Parishes.

Mr. Gray of Woodstock presented the petition of the selectmen of the town of Lincoln, and eleven others, legal voters of said town, praying for the grant of an appropriation of three hundred dollars, to be expended in repairing the highway through said town.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads,

Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Morrill of Dover presented the remonstrance of William B. Smith and others, the remonstrance of George D. Vittum and others, and the remonstrance of George H. Pierce and others;

Mr. W. B. Wiggin of Dover presented the remonstrance of James Varney and others, the remonstrance of Andrew Peirce, Jr., and others, the remonstrance of Joseph B. Witherd and others, and the remonstrance of Jeremiah Horne and others;

All remonstrating against the prayer of the petition of Thomas H. Cushing and others, praying for a division of the

town of Dover by the Cochecho river.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Division of Towns.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan presented the petition of Isaac Bullock and thirty-six others, praying for the passage of an act to constitute a third judicial district in the county of Grafton.

Ordered, That it be referred to the select committee con-

sisting of the delegation from the county of Grafton.

Mr. Hodgman presented the petition of E. O. Kenney and one hundred thirty-two others, citizens of the town of Bethlehem, the petition of A. Moore and ninety-one others, the petition of C. R. Norcross and others, the petition of P. Putnam and others, the petition of the selectmen of the town of Lisbon, the petition of Benjamin Brooks, Jr., and others, and the petition of Robert Tuttle and others;

All praying that a new county may be formed of the towns and places of Bath, Landaff, Lyman, Lisbon, Littleton, Lincoln, Franconia and Bethlehem, from the county of Grafton, and Dalton, Lancaster, Whitefield, Carroll, Jefferson, Randolph, Pinkham's Grant, Shelburne, Jackson, Bartlett, and the Grants and Locations lying between Bartlett and Car-

roll, from the county of Coos.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth-

Resolved, That the petitions be referred to the select committee to consist of the delegations from the counties of

Grafton and Coos.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth presented the petition of Nathaniel Boynton and twenty-nine others, stockholders, and forty-two others not stockholders, the petition of Peter Jones and ten others, the petition of Peter E. Hadley and five others, the petition of George P. Hadley and six others, the petition of John T. Cahill and others, the petition of Jonathan Cogswell and thirteen others, the petition of Lewis Colby and five others, the petition of Elias Dickey and ten others,

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and the petition of Lewis F. Pattee and twenty-eight others;

All praying for the passage of a resolution to appoint a committee to investigate the affairs of the New Hampshire Central Railroad from its organization to the present time, with power to send for persons and papers, and to report thereon, or to instruct the Railroad Commissioners to make such investigation and report thereon. Also praying for the passage of an act to repeal the charter of said corporation, and to take any other measures that to the Legislature may seem necessary for the security of the stockholders and of the community.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Rail-

roads.

Mr. Hackett presented the petition of Daniel Knight and others, praying for the passage of an act to establish the State Reform School.

Ordered, That it be referred to the select committee on

that subject.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, from the committee on the

Judiciary, made the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of the citizens of Newbury, praying that the laws relating to the sealers of weights and measures may be reversed, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

J. E. SARGENT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, from the same committee,

made the following further report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to remove the terms of the superior courts and the terms of the court of common pleas from Newport to Claremont, in the county of Sullivan," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

J. E. SARGENT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be dis-

charged from the further consideration of the bill, as the same was disposed of at the last session of the Legislature;
Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Sargent of Wentworth, from the same committee

made the following further report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act in addition to chapter 215 of the Revised Statutes," also "An act in amendment of chapter 24 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the rights and qualifications of voters," also "An act in amendment of chapter 46 of the Revised Statutes, relating to the collection of non-resident taxes," also a resolution relating to departed spirits or spiritual knockings, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

J. E. SARGENT, for the committee.

Resolved, That said acts and resolutions be indefinitely postponed, as the same were disposed of at the last session of the Legislature;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins, from the same committee, made the

following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the resolution instructing them to inquire into the expediency of providing for a revision and codification of the statute laws of this State, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

JOHN H. WIGGINS, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That three suitable persons be appointed by His Excellency the Governor, with advice of Council, to revise and codify the statute laws of New Hampshire, and report to the Legislature on the first day of the next November session of this Legislature;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins, from the same committee, made the following further report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act relating to foreign attachment on the trustee process," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same with the following amendments.

JOHN H. WIGGINS, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the amendments which were reported from the committee on the Judiciary to the bill, entitled "An act relating to foreign attachment on the trustee process."

The committee proposed to amend the bill by adding to the third section thereof the words following: "and also

the sum of one dollar as an attorney fee."

The committee proposed further to amend the bill in the fourteenth line of the fourth section thereof by inserting after the words "shall at the same time," the words, "and in the presence of the trustee or his attorney."

The committee proposed further to amend the bill by in-

serting after section 4 the following new sections:

"Sec. 5. No person or corporation summoned as trustee in any suit or action shall be charged or chargeable as such for or on account of the personal services or earnings of the wife or any of the children of the debtor, or on account of any labor performed by the debtor himself after the service

of the trustee process upon the trustee.

"Sec. 6. In any trustee suit or action the plaintiff shall not in any case recover costs exceeding in amount the sum recovered in damages for the original cause of action, unless such amount so recovered in damages shall exceed the sum of thirteen dollars and thirty-three cents, nor shall the trustee be chargeable in any case unless the sum in his hands or possession shall exceed the sum of thirteen dollars and thirty-three cents.

"Sec. 7. The 9th, 39th, 40th and 41st sections of chapter 208 of the Revised Statutes, and all other acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act, so far as

thus inconsistent, be and are hereby repealed."

The committee further proposed to amend the bill by striking out the number of the last section, and inserting the figure 8 instead thereof.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the report, with the accompanying bill and amendments, be laid upon the table.

Mr. Garvin, from the committee on Military Accounts,

made the following report:

The committee on Military Accounts, to whom was referred the account of Alfred J. Hill, drill-master of the 1st brigade, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

EBENEZER GARVIN, Jr., for the committee.

Resolved, That Alfred J. Hill have leave to withdraw his account;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Carleton, from the committee on Education, made the

following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act concerning truant children," having considered the same, have instructed me to report the same with the following amendments: In the eighth line of section 1st strike out the words, "the benefit," and insert "availing themselves," and in the ninth line of section 3d, strike out "conveyed" and insert "conferred."

HARVEY CARLETON, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the amendments, which were reported from the committee on Education, to the bill, entitled "An act concerning truant children."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the first amendment which was reported from the committee to strike out the words "the benefit," in line eight of sec. 1, and insert the words "availing themselves," instead thereof?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was adopted.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the second amendment reported from the committee, to strike out the word "conveyed," in line nine sec. 3, and insert the word "conferred," instead thereof?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Carleton, from the committee on Education, made the

following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill from the Senate, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes," having had the bill under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

HARVEY CARLE'TON, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Stanley, from the committee on Unfinished Business,

made the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to divide the State into districts for the choice of Senators," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

HORACE C. STANLEY, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to a select committee, consisting of one from each county;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. McKean, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to repeal chapter nine hundred and ninety-one of the laws of this State," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

CHARLES McKEAN, for the committee...

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be referred to the committee on the Judiciary;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. McKean, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing further report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of John Berry and seven others, managers of the Suncook Valley Railroad, praying for the grant of a

charter for an extension of said road, and the petition of Reuel Nims and others, and C. P. Perkins and others, praying for the grant of a charter for the extension of the Peterborough and Shirley Railroad, the petition of Josiah H. Hobbs and others, stockholders in the Great Falls and Conway Railroad, praying for the grant of a charter for a railroad from Wolfborough to the line of their road, the petition of the Great Falls and Conway Railroad for leave to unite said corporation with any railroad that may be constructed from Wolfborough to the line of said road, and to make the two roads a joint stock, also a bill, entitled "An act in addition to and in amendment of the laws relating to railroad corporations," and a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act, entitled 'An act to incorporate the Grafton Railroad,' passed July 2, 1847," and a bill, entitled "An act to facilitate the completion of existing railroads," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

CHARLES McKEAN, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the foregoing bills and petitions be referred to the committee on Railroads; Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. McKean, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the remonstrance of John McClintock and others, of Portsmouth and vicinity, against the petition to establish a toll bridge from Varney's wharf, in Dover, to Jenkins's Point, in Elliot, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

C. McKEAN, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the remonstrance be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals:

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Weeks of Sanbornton, from the same committee, made

the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of C. C. Pendexter and 80 others, legal voters of the town of Bartlett, praying to be disannexed from the county of Coos and annexed to the county of Carroll, have considered the same, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

CURTIS WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition be referred to the delegations from the counties of Coos and Carroll;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Weeks of Sanbornton, from the same committee,

made the following further report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of George W. Chapman and 83 others, inhabitants of the town of Hill, in the county of Grafton, to be disannexed from said county and annexed to the county of Merrimack, and the petition of the selectmen of the town of Danbury and 177 others, to disannex said town from the county of Grafton and annex the same to the county of Merrimack, have considered the same, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

CURTIS WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petitions be referred to the delegations from the counties of Grafton and Merrimack;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Fletcher, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of Andrew Varney and 106 others, praying for the grant of authority to construct a bridge across the Piscataqua river, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

WM. B. FLETCHER, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petition be referred to the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Fletcher, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of John Taylor and seventeen others, cit-

izens of Salem, praying for the removal of a justice of the peace, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

WM. B. FLETCHER, for the committee.

Resolved, 'That the further consideration of the petition be referred to the Judiciary committee;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Stilphen, from the committee on the Division of

Towns, made the following report:

The committee on the Division of Towns, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to disannex a portion of Lyndeborough and annex the same to Mont Vernon," have instructed me to report the following resolution.

CORNELIUS STILPHEN, for the committee.

Resolved, That said committee be discharged from further consideration of said bill, and the same be referred to the committee on Towns and Parishes;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Atwood of Pelham, from the committee on the Division of Towns, to whom was referred the petition of Artemas Harmon and others, and the petition of David Allard and others, praying for the passage of an act to divide the town of Eaton, reported the following resolution:

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petitions be postponed to the next session of the Legislature, with an

order of notice.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway—

Resolved, That the report be laid upon the table.

Mr. Noyes, from the committee on Mileage, reported that the following persons were entitled to mileage for travel as members of the House of Representatives:

Rockingham County.

Atkinson—A. H. Noyes.

Auburn—A. F. Fox.

Brentwood—S. Morrill.

Candia—S. Dudley.

Danville—Jonathan French.

Deerfield—H. G. Cilley, William Whittier.

Derry—Robert Chase, John Patten.

East Kingston—B. L. Morrill.

Epping—George W. Plumer.

Exeter—Isaac Flagg, Orin Head, N. G. Perry.

Gosport-R. G. Haley.

Greenland—Edward Holmes.

Hampton—Thomas Ward.

Hampton Falls-W. W. Healey.

Kingston—S. Hanson.

Londonderry—Charles Hurd, D. R. Leach.

New Castle—George Vennard.

Newington-Isaac Frink.

New Market-John Garland, George W. Kittredge.

Newton-Richard Sargent.

North Hampton-Jonathan Lamprey.

Northwood—B. J. Freese.

Nottingham-Daniel Tuttle.

Plaistow-Joseph Noyes.

Poplin—B. P. Webster.

Portsmouth—Samuel Langdon, Samuel W. Moses, H. D. Walker, I. Bartlett, W. H. Y. Hackett, Jonathan Dearborn, B. Cheever.

Raymond-E. Whittier.

Rye-Jonathan Brown.

Sandown—John Butler.

Seabrook-Elihu Dow, Jr.

South Hampton—J. M. Jewell.

South New Market-S. C. Kennard.

Stratham—Mark Barker.

Salem—Moores Bayley.

Windham—J. Morrison.

Strafford County.

Dover-John H. Wiggins, George P. Folsom, Silas Moody, Joseph Morrill, W. B. Wiggin, Joseph Hanson.

Durham-M. H. Wiggins.

Farmington-John Walker, P. M. Horne.

Lee-N. G. Davis.

Madbury-Robert Huckins.

Middleton-Charles French.

Milton—E. Osgood, James Doldt.

New Durham—Joseph Berry, Jr.
Rochester—James C. Cole, Stephen Shorey.
Rollinsford—A. W. Pike.
Strafford—N. Brock, Joshua Roberts.

Belknap County.

Alton—Samuel Woodman, C. C. Richardson.
Barnstead—T. K. Proctor, William Jenkins.
Centre Harbor—John H. Moulton.
Gilford—John Tilton, H. H. Sleeper.
Gilmanton—Ira Mooney, D. B. Merrill, R. D. Tibbetts.
Meredith—J. P. Pitman, T. H. Holland, Noah Pease.
New Hampton—George W. Smith.
Sanbornton—O. Barron, Curtis Weeks, J. L. Connor.

Carroll County.

Albany—Chester Parrish.
Brookfield—T. W. Lyford.
Chatham—E. Weeks.
Conway—F. R. Chase.
Eaton—King Atkinson.
Effingham—J. S. Maloon.
Freedom—Joseph Smith.
Moultonborough—C. N. Emery.
Ossipee—Samuel Quarles, Daniel Wentworth.
Sandwich—Charles Quimby, George Page.
Tamworth—L. D. Mason, E. Wilkinson.
Tuftonborough—J. H. Piper.
Wakefield—E. Garvin, Jr.
Wolf borough—James Bickford, H. B. Rust.

Merrimack County.

Allenstown—John Tennant.
Andover—E. G. Graves.
Boscawen—A. Gerrish, F. L. Burbank.
Bow—A. Stark.
Bradford—M. E. Baxter.
Canterbury—B. Whidden.
Chichester—P. J. Hook.

Concord—N. White, S. Seavey, Joseph Eastman, B. F. Gale, N. Chandler, Caleb Parker.

Dunbarton—J. C. Ray. Epsom—E. Locke, Jr.

Franklin-A. F. Pike.

Henniker-O. Pillsbury, James Straw.

Hooksett-J. K Marshall.

Hopkinton-F. P. Knowlton, H. C. Stanley.

Loudon-J. C. Harper, H. Holt.

Newbury—J. Carr.

New London-G. W. Everett.

Northfield-D. Dearborn.

Pembroke-N. Cochran.

Pittsfield-N. W. Drake, J. Clark.

Salisbury—C. Quimby. Sutton—Samuel Dresser.

Warner-Leonard Eaton, H. H. Harriman.

Wilmot-A. Langley.

Hillsborough County.

Antrim—C. McKean.

Bedford—T. W. Moore, J. Morrison.

Bennington-J. B. Parsons.

Brookline-B. Gould.

Deering-F. Dow.

Francestown-J. M. Collins.

Goffstown-John Tewksbury, B. F. Blaisdell.

Greenfield—H. A. Abbott.

Hancock—William Gray. Hillsborough—E. Hatch, Mark W. Fuller.

Hollis-A. D. Marshall.

Hudson-William Warren.

Litchfield—Samuel Chase. Lyndeborough—E. Russell.

Manchester—James O. Adams, T. T. Abbott, William Gray, Moses Corliss, William Hartshorn, M. H. Clough, George M. Flanders, Thomas Hoyt, J. E. Bennett, Sewell Leavitt, John Calif.

Mason—Stephen Smith.
Merrimack—John Eayrs.

Milford-H. A. Daniels, Jacob Gove.

Mont Vernon-Leander Smith.

Nashua-David Baldwin, Isaac Spalding, T. Parsons, Jr.,

M. F. Dodge, Jr., Charles K. Whitney.

Nashville-S. R. Bullard, W. S. Atwood.

New Boston-John Gregg.

New Ipswich-John Preston, Hosea Eaton.

Pelham-Joshua Atwood.

Peterborough-D. B. Cutter, Samuel Miller.

Sharon-Silas Sawyer.

Temple—George Whiting.

Weare-P. Dearborn, William H. Gove.

Wilton—William Lane.
Windsor—James W. Perkins.

Cheshire County.

Alstead-Samuel Morrison.

Chesterfield-H. Carleton, S. J. Patridge.

Dublin-Lovel Harris.

Fitzwilliam—J. S. Adams.

Gilsum—Amasa May.

Hinsdale—William Haile.

Jaffrey-John Fox.

Keene-Levi Chamberlain, W. S. Hutchins, F. A. Faulk-

Marlborough-B. Whitney, Jr.

Marlow—A. Huntley.

Nelson—Milan Harris.

Richmond—Wm. Randall.

Rindge-J. B. Perry.

Roxbury-Earl Clarke.

Stoddard-E. Fox.

Sullivan-T. S. Norton.

Swanzey-Z. L. Taft, Luke Bennett.

Troy-J. H. Holt.

Walpole-P. Armstrong, D. Fisher.

Winchester-A. J. Humphrey, J. B. Turner.

Westmoreland—T. A. Barker.

Sullivan County.

Acworth-J. G. Silsby.

Charlestown—E. L. Cushing.

Claremont—Charles Young, Chas. F. Long, Sumner Putnam.

Cornish—Joseph Wood.
Croydon—Pliny Hall.
Goshen—John Marston.
Grantham—Cyrus Smith.
Langdon—R. Elwell.
Lempster—William B. Parker.
Newport—E. Wheeler, R. Metcalf.
Plainfield—James Gilkey.
Springfield—William Moran.
Sunapee—J. G. Tucker.
Unity—E. J. Glidden.
Washington—S. E. Jones.

Grafton County.

Alexandria—Aiken Gilmore. Bath-J. H. Carbee. Benton—Chase Whitcher. Bethlehem—T. P. Turner. Bridgewater—D. Hannaford. W dishadmad Bristol-G. Ingalls, Jr. Campton-H. H. Southmayd. Canaan-W. P. Weeks, J. B. Wallace. Danbury—M. Eastman.

Dorchester—J. Blaisdell. Ellsworth and Waterville-James Randall. Enfield—Wm. Huse, D. L. Smith. Franconia-Moody Priest. Grafton-N. W. C. Davis. Groton-W. Heath. Hanover-D. Eaton, M. Pike. Haverhill-D. C. Kimball, C. E. Thompson. Hebron-Jonathan Morse. Hill-G. Hersey. Holderness-B. B. Worthen, Caleb Cox. Landaff-Sargent Moody. Lebanon-A. H. Cragin, William T. Ela. Lisbon-Levi Parker. Littleton-F. Hodgman, H. S. Goss.

Lyme—A. Latham.
Orange—A. Barney.
Orford—John Rogers.
Piermont—A. P. Gould.
Plymouth—Seth Doton.
Rumney—Isaac Hadley.
Thornton—A. Barnard.
Warren—William Pomroy.
Wentworth—J. E. Sargent.
Woodstock, &c.—John Gray.

Coos County.

Bartlett-C. Stilphen. Randolph, Gorham, &c.-James C. Scates. Columbia—A. C. Whipple. Carroll, &c.—J. L. Gibb. Colebrook—L. Lumbard. Clarksville and Pittsburg-John T. Amy. Dalton-M. H. Rix. Dixville, &c.—Elliott Harper. Jackson, &c.—S. Hazeltine. Jefferson-B. H. Plaisted. Lancaster-George A. Cossitt. Milan, &c.-H. T. Ellingwood. Stark and Dummer-M. Jackson. Stratford, &c .- R. S. Marshall. Stewartstown—W. B. Fletcher. Whitefield—John M. Gove.

Which was read.

On motion of Mr. Sargent of Wentworth— Resolved, That the report be laid upon the table.

Mr. Cushing, from the committee on the Judiciary, made

the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of the selectmen of Gosport, praying for the grant of an appropriation to build a house of correction, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

EDMUND L. CUSHING, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Bartlett, from the same committee, made the following

report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of John T. Hildreth, asking advice respecting the liability of Wolfborough Bank to redeem their bills, have directed me to report the following resolution.

ICHABOD BARTLETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioner have leave to withdraw his petition;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

HALF PAST ELEVEN O'CLOCK.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the special orders of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act for the further protection of personal liberty," passed July 10, 1846."

The question being,

Will the House agree to the third reading of the bill?

Mr. Preston moved that the further consideration of the bill be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Chamberlain of Keene—
The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Under a suspension of the rules of the House, the House resumed the consideration of the unfinished business of the forenoon, upon the special order of the day.

The question being,

Shall the bill be indefinitely postponed?

Mr. Preston, by leave, withdrew the motion to indefinitely postpone the bill.

The question recurred,

Shall the bill be read a third time?
On this question,
Mr. Preston demanded the yeas and nays;
Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs .-

Noves of Atkinson, Fox of Auburn, Morrill of Brentwood, Plumer, Perry of Exeter, Hanson of Kingston, Vennard, Sargent of Newton, Lamprey, Freese, Tuttle. Noves of Plaistow, Webster. Bartlett of Portsmouth, Hackett. Moses, Langdon, Whittier of Raymond, Brown, Bayley, Butler. Dow of Seabrook, J. H. Wiggins, Horne, Walker of Farmington, Davis of Lee, French of Middleton, Berry, Brock, Woodman, Jenkins, Proctor, Moulton,

Tebbetts, Pitman, Pease, Holland, Weeks of Sanbornton, Barron, Connor. Parrish, Lyford, Chase of Conway, Atkinson, Meloon, Smith of Freedom, Emery, Wentworth, Piper, Garvin, Bickford, Rust, Tennant, Graves. Stark, Hook, Ray, Locke, Straw, Marshall of Hooksett, Stanley, Knowlton, Harper of Loudon, Holt. Dearborn of Northfield, Cochran, Clark of Pittsfield, Drake,

Mooney,

Merrill,

Quimby of Salisbury, Dresser, Eaton of Warner, Harriman, Langley, Mc Kean, Parsons, Dow of Deering. Abbott of Greenfield, Gray of Hancock, Hatch, Fuller, Marshall of Hollis, Warren, Chase of Litchfield, Russell, Eayrs, Smith of Mont Vernon, Gregg, Atwood of Pelham. Miller, Cutter, Sawyer, Whiting, Perkins, Morrison of Alstead, Carleton, Partridge. May, Chamberlain, Faulkner, Huntley, Randall of Richmond, Fox of Stoddard. Taft, Bennett of Swanzey, Armstrong, Fisher, Barker of Westmoreland, Silsby. Cushing, Marston.

Smith of Grantham, Parker of Lempster, Wheeler, Metcalf, Moran, Tucker, Glidden. Jones, Gilmore, Whitcher, Turner of Bethlehem, Hannaford. Southmayd, Weeks of Canaan, Eastman of Danbury, Blaisdell of Dorchester, Randall of Ellsworth, Smith of Enfield, Huse, Priest, Davis of Grafton, Heath, Eaton of Hanover, Pike of Hanover, Thompson, Morse, Hersey, Moody of Landaff, Parker of Lisbon, Doton, Hadley, Barnard, Pomroy, Sargent of Wentworth, Grey of Woodstock, Stilphen, Ellingwood, Gibb, Lumbard, Whipple, Rix, Harper of Errol,

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Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs .-

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Daniels, Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua, Dodge, Spalding, Pearson, Bullard. Atwood of Nashville, Preston, Eaton of New Ipswich, Gove of Weare, Dearborn of Weare, Lane, Harris of Dublin, Adams of Fitzwilliam, Haile. Fox of Jaffrey, Hutchins, Whitney of Marlborough, Harris of Nelson, Perry of Rindge,

Clark of Roxbury, Norton, Holt, Turner of Winchester, Humphrey, Putnam, 1, Young, Long, Wood, Hall, Elwell, Carbee, Kimball, Worthen, Ela, Cragin, Hodgman, Latham, Barney, Rogers, Gould of Piermont.

Yeas 162, nays 111.

So the affirmative of the question prevailed.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow in the afternoon at three o'clock.

The House further proceeded, under the suspension of the rules, in the unfinished business of the forenoon, upon the reports of the standing and select committees of the House.

Mr. Faulkner, from the committee on Incorporations, by

leave, made the following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Claremont Cutlery Company," having had the same under consideration, have directed me to report the same without amendment.

F. A. FAULKNER, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow in the afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Gove of Weare, from the same committee, made the

following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company," have instructed me to report the same with the following amendment, to wit; insert after the word "powers," in the twenty-sixth line of the first section, the words "and subject to all the liabilities."

W. H. GOVE, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the amendment which was reported from the committee on Incorporations.

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Will the House agree to the amendment which was reported from the committee, to insert in line twenty-six section one, after the word "powers," the words "and subject to all the liabilities?"

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment was adopted.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow in the afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Wheeler, from the same committee, by leave, made

the following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same with an amendment.

EDMUND WHEELER, for the committee.

The committee proposed to amend the bill in line eleven, section one, by inserting after the word "privileges," the words following, "and subject to all the liabilities."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative.
So the amendment was adopted.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow in the afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Wheeler, from the same committee, by leave, made the following further report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred

the petition of Charles Shedd and others, praying for the passage of an act to incorporate the Campton Library Association, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

EDMUND WHEELER, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioners have leave to bring in a bill;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Insane Asy-

lum, by leave, made the following report:

The committee on the Asylum for the Insane, who were instructed to inquire into the situation of the legacy of Miss Catharine Fiske to said Asylum, have attended to the duty assigned to them, and report—

That in pursuance of an act, passed December 28, 1844, the estate of Miss Fiske was converted into money, and after payments of all charges, the residue being \$5,419 67,

was paid into the treasury in 1845.

Said fund is chargeable with an annuity of \$250, during the life of the annuitant, which has been annually paid out of the treasury, and charged to the principal, no allowance having been made for interest. The operation of this mode of keeping accounts has already reduced the amount of the fund from \$5,419 67 to \$3,669 67, and if not corrected, will soon exhaust the whole fund, thus defeating the benevolent intentions of the testatrix in favor of a most sacred charity. For the purpose of correcting the mistake and doing justice to the memory of the testator and to the object of her bounty, the committee report the accompanying bill.

LEVI CHAMBERLAIN, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee, entitled "An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske for the benefit of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane;"

Which was read a first time.
On motion of Mr. Metcalf—

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a second time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Chamberlain-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Faulkner, from the committee on Incorporations, by

leave, made the following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company," instruct me to report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and report the same with the following amendment:

"SEC. 2. This act shall take effect from and after its passage."

F. A. FAULKNER, for the committee.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment reported by the committee?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was agreed to.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time to-morrow in the afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Osgood, from the committee on Unfinished Business,

by leave, made the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of George H. Dodge and others, praying for the erection of a monument over the grave of Meshech Weare, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

EBENEZER OSGOOD, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition be referred to a select committee of one from each county; Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Gray of Manchester, from the committee on Military

Affairs, by leave, made the following report:

The committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the annual report and returns of the Adjutant and Quartermaster General, have attended to that duty, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

WILLIAM GRAY, for the committee.

Resolved, That the Clerk procure the usual number of printed copies of said report and returns for the use of the House;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Garvin, from the committee on Military Accounts, by

leave, made the following report:

The committee on Military Accounts, to whom was referred the account of Allen Smith, Deputy Commissary General, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

E. GARVIN, Jr., for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That Allen Smith be allowed ninety-one dollars and eighty-three cents, as Deputy Commissary General, in full of his account against the State, and that the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

The House proceeded, under the suspension of their rules, in the unfinished business of the forenoon, being the second reading of the joint resolution to revise and codify the statute laws of New Hampshire;

Which was read a second time.

Ordered, That it be read a third time to-morrow in the afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bills which were in order to be read a third time at three o'clock this afternoon, be read a third time at the present time.

The House proceeded, under the suspension of their rules, to the consideration of the bill which came down from the Senate, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter 73 of the

Revised Statutes:"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that the title of the bill be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The House further proceeded, under the suspension of their rules, to the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act concerning truant children;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Harriman of Warner, by leave, presented the report

of the Contoocook Valley Railroad.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Rail-

Mr. Woodman, by leave, presented the account of Morrill

& Silsby.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims. The Speaker announced that the following message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

" To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the report of the Commissioners of the Literary Fund.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 15, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying re-

port be referred to the committee on Education.

The Speaker announced that the following further message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

"To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit a preamble and resolutions passed by the Select and Common Councils of the city of Philadelphia. NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 15, 1852."

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying doc-

uments be laid upon the table.

The Speaker announced that the following further message from His Excellency the Governor had been laid upon his table by the Secretary of State:

" To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

I herewith transmit the returns of the votes of the people of this State upon the various amendments of the Constitution submitted to them by recommendation of the Constitutional Convention.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 15, 1852."

Mr. Hackett moved to refer the message with the accoming returns to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That the message with the accompanying returns be laid upon the table.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have passed a joint resolution repealing the joint resolution authorizing and providing for exchange of legislative documents, approved January 4, 1849, in which they ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives."

The House proceeded to the consideration of the joint resolution which came down from the Senate, to repeal the joint resolution authorizing and providing for the exchange of legislative documents, approved January 4, 1849;

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the State Library.

Mr. Metcalf, from the select committee on the subject of

Temperance, by leave, made the following report:

The select committee to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops," having had the same under consideration,

have instructed me to report the same without amendment, with the accompanying resolution and joint resolution.

RALPH METCALF, for the committee.

Resolved, That said bill be postponed to the November session of this Legislature, and that the Clerk of the House cause the same to be published in all the newspapers author-

ized to publish the laws of this State.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the selectmen of the several towns and places in this State are directed to insert an article in their warrant for calling the next town meeting for the choice of electors of President and Vice President of the United States, to take the sense of the qualified voters upon the following question: "Is it expedient for the Legislature to enact into a law the bill published by order of the House of Representatives in the newspapers publishing by authority the laws of the State, entitled 'An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops?" "-that the vote be taken by ballot, and that the polls be opened and closed for that purpose at the same time they are for receiving votes for electors, and that the vote for and against the expediency of such a law shall be counted, declared, certified and returned to the Secretary's office in the same way and manner and at the same time as the votes for electors; and that the Secretary of State seasonably furnish suitable blanks for such returns to the Clerks of the several towns and places in this State;

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the resolutions which were reported from the committee.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the first resolution which was reported from the committee?

Mr. Preston demanded the yeas and nays.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs.-

Noyes of Atkinson,
Fox of Auburn,
Hurd,
Leach,

Sargent of Newton,

Lamprey,

Tuttle,

Noyes of Plaistow,

Bartlett of Portsmouth, Langdon. Whittier of Raymond. Brown. Bayley, Butler, Dow of Seabrook, J. H. Wiggins, Horne, Walker of Farmington. Davis of Lee, Huckins. French of Middleton, Brock, Richardson, Woodman, Jenkins, Moulton, Tilton, Mooney, Tebbetts, Pitman. Pease, Holland, Weeks of Sanbornton, Sawyer, Connor, Parrish, Smith of Freedom. Piper, Garvin, Rust, Graves.

Stark.

Locke.

Stanley, Knowlton. Holt. Carr, Dearborn of Northfield. Cochran, Drake, Dresser, Eaton of Warner, Langley, McKean, Moore, Parsons, Dow of Deering, Abbott of Greenfield, Grey of Hancock, Hatch, Fuller, Marshall of Hollis, allog and had Warren, and will apply and Chase of Litchfield, Russell, belance of Eayrs, Gregg, at advantamentary Atwood of Pelham, dearnot viden Cutter, a la missers & oth and the Whiting, Dearborn of Weare, Lyford, Perkins, Chase of Conway, Morrison of Alstead, Atkinson, Carleton, Patridge, Fox of Stoddard, below Preston demanded, Paft, beliand Bennett of Swanzey, Bickford, and one were a restrong, and a sense Fisher. Barker of Westmoreland, Silsby, Cushing, Marshall of Hooksett, Marston,

Smith of Grantham, Parker of Lisbon, Parker of Lempster, Wheeler, Metcalf. Moran, Tucker, Glidden, Whitcher, Hannaford, Southmayd, Weeks of Canaan, Whipple, would Eastman of Danbury, Rix, Blaisdell of Dorchester, Harper of Errol,

Priest, Davis of Grafton, Heath, Eaton of Hanover,

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Randall of Ellsworth, Hazeltine, Plaisted, Cossitt, Amy, Jackson, Fletcher,

Marshall of Stratford, Gove of Whitefield.

Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs.-

Morrill of Brentwood, Dudley, French of Danville, Cilley. Whittier of Deerfield, Chase of Derry, Patten, Flagg, Perry of Exeter, Haley, wandsoff to shell Holmes, Ward, Healey, Hanson of Kingston, Vennard,

Garland. Freese,

Walker of Portsmouth, Cheever, Hackett, Dearborn of Portsmouth, Moses. Jewell, Kennard. Plumer, Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windham, Moody of Dover, Morrill of Dover, W. B. Wiggin, Wiggin of Durham, Osgood, Cole, Shorey,

Pike of Rollinsford,

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Hoyt, Smith of New Hampton, Bennett of Manchester, Leavitt. Calif. Smith of Mason, Daniels, Smith of Mont Vernon, Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua, Dodge, Spalding, Pearson, Bullard, Atwood of Nashville, Preston, Eaton of New Ipswich, Miller, Gove of Weare, Lane, Harris of Dublin, Parker of Concord, Adams of Fitzwilliam, May. Haile, Fox of Jaffrey, Chamberlain, Hutchins, Faulkner, Whitney of Marlborough, Huntley, Harris of Nelson, Randall of Richmond, Perry of Rindge, Clark of Roxbury, Norton, Turner of Winchester, Humphrey, Putnam, Young, Long, Wood,

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Yeas 134, nays 142. Doggalar ad yard and T. Aarda O.

So the resolution was rejected. The homogona Howel allows On motion of Mr. Bartlett-The House adjourned.

WEDNESDAY, June 16, 1852.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the reading of the journal of yesterday be dispensed

maying for compensation for a horse, which he lost in the

Mr. Chase of Derry presented the petition of Abel F. Hildreth and others, praying for the passage of an act to provide for the improvement of the common schools.

Mr. Baldwin of Nashua presented the petition of Daniel

Marsh and others, citizens of Nashua.

Mr. William S. Atwood presented the petition of M. G. Foster and others, citizens of the town of Nashville, praying for the passage of a law to authorize the teaching of anatomy, physiology and hygiene in common schools, and to require that teachers may be examined as to their qualifications to teach those branches.

Mr. Chase of Conway presented the petition of Charles C. Crane and others, praying for the passage of a law to amend the charter of the Literary Adelphi, a Iterary society in New Hampton.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Education.

Mr. Whittier presented the petition of Sewall Goodhue and others, legal voters, and the petition of Samuel G. Good-

hue and others, minors over fourteen years of age;

Mr. Chase of Derry presented the petition of David Clement and others, legal voters of the town of Derry, and the petition of Julia Richardson and others, females and minors over fourteen years of age;

All praying for the passage of a law as nearly as possible identical with that of the State of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Ordered, That they be referred to the select committee

on the subject of Temperance.

Mr. Jewell presented the petition of David Goodwin, pray-

ing for the alteration of his name.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Alteration of Names.

Mr. Bartlett presented the petition of Dudley Corning, praying for compensation for a horse which he lost in the service of this State.

Mr. Moody presented the account of J. Carter & Son, for

stationery.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Plumer presented the petition of Joseph Towle and others, praying for the grant of a charter for a bank at Exe-

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.

Mr. Quarles presented the remonstrance of John Smith and others, remonstrating against the prayer of the petitions

praying to divide the town of Ossipee.

Mr. J. H. Wiggin presented the petition of Moses Dow and others, praying for the division of the town of Dover.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Division of Towns.

Mr. Gale presented the petition of Nathaniel White and others, praying for the passage of a bill, entitled "An act concerning persons under sentence of death."

Mr. Blaisdell presented the petition of John Raymond and others, praying that a court of record may be constituted in

each town.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the

Judiciary.

Mr. Amy presented the remonstrance of Amos F. Abbott and sixty-two others, legal voters in the town of Pittsburg, remonstrating against the granting of the prayer of the petition of Royal Joyslin and others, to sever Carlisle Grant from the town of Pittsburg, and the remonstrance of Gideon Tirrell and twenty-seven others for the same object.

Mr. Kennard presented the petition of John Pease and others, praying that a certain tract of land may be severed from the town of Exeter and annexed to the town of South

New Market.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Towns and Parishes.

Mr. Chase of Conway presented the petition of Duncan N. Ross and others, praying for the grant of an appropriation to construct a road through Pinkham's Grant.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads,

Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Garvin presented the accounts and vouchers of the Adjutant General.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Military Accounts.

Mr. Metcalf, from the committee on the Judiciary, made

the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of James B. Brown and others, praying for an amendment of the law relative to passes at the intersection of railroads and highways, having had that subject under consideration, have instructed me to report the accompanying bill.

RALPH METCALF, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee, entitled "An act in addition to the 4th section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Metcalf, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the petition of John Taylor and others, praying for the removal of a justice of the peace, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

RALPH METCALF, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the petition be indefinitely postponed;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.
Mr. J. H. Wiggins, from the same committee, made the

following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act relative to judicial proceedings," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

JOHN H. WIGGINS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the bill, entitled "An act relative to judicial proceedings," be indefinitely postponed;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Thompson, from the same committee, made the fol-

lowing report:

The committee on the Judiciary, who were instructed to inquire into the expediency of further legislation in relation to the collection of taxes upon railroad corporations, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the accompanying bill.

CHARLES E. THOMPSON, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee, entitled "An act in addition to chapter 39 of the Revised Statutes, relating to persons and property liable to taxation;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Metcalf, from the same committee, made the following further report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act in addition to and amendment of an act, entitled 'An act to establish the city of Manchester,'" having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same with the following resolution.

RALPH METCALF, for the committee.

Resolved, That the bill be indefinitely postponed;
Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.
Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the committee on Railroads,

made the following report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom were referred the annual reports of the Portsmouth and Concord Railroad, the Peterborough and Shirley, the Manchester and Lawrence, the Cochecho, the Concord and Claremont, the Eastern, the Wilton, the New Hampshire Central, the Northern, the Contoocook Valley, the Boston, Concord and Montreal, the Cheshire, the Great Falls and Conway, the Boston and Maine, the Ashuelot, the Concord, the Nashua and Lowell, the Sullivan, and the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Corporations, have examined the same, and have directed me to report the following resolution.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That said reports be filed in the office of the Secretary of State;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Hackett, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the petition of the Directors of the Peterborough and Shirley Railroad, praying for the grant of an authority to change their route, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the accompanying resolution.

W. H. Y. HACKETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition be postponed to the next session, and that the petitioners cause the substance of said petition, and this order, to be published three weeks successively in the New Hampshire Patriot, and in the newspaper published at Peterborough, thirty days before the commencement of the next session;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Parker of Lisbon, from the committee on Claims,

made the following report:

The committee on Claims, to whom was referred the account of T. J. Whipple, for preparing and filing with the Secretary of State a copy of the journal to revise the Constitution of the State of New Hampshire according to the order of the Convention, which was as follows:

Resolved, That the Secretary be directed to make a full and fair copy of his journal of the proceedings of this Convention, to be certified by the officers of this Convention, that the same be filed in the office of the Secretary of State, have considered the same, and have directed me to report the accompanying resolution.

LEVI PARKER, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the joint resolution, which was reported from the committee;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Bennett of Manchester, from the committee on Edu-

cation, made the following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to education, have had the subject under consideration, and have instructed me to report the accompanying joint resolution.

J. E. BENNETT, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the Secretary of the Board of Education be authorized to procure annually the printing of an additional copy of the report of said board for the use of each school district in the State;

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the resolution which was reported from the committee;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Barron, from the committee on Education, to whom was referred the report of the Commissioners of the Litera-

ry Fund, reported that they had had the same under consideration, and had carefully examined and found the same correctly cast and vouched, whereupon-

Resolved, That the report of the Commissioners of the Literary Fund be filed in the office of the Secretary of State.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the committee on Railroads,

made the following report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act authorizing the Great Falls Manufacturing Company to aid in the construction of certain railroads," having considered the same, have directed me to report the following resolution.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be postponed to the adjourned session in November of the present Legislature;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Raile, from the committee on Manufactures, made the

following report:

The committee on Manufactures, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporte the Franklin Mills," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

WILLIAM HAILE, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Knowlton, from the same committee, made the fol-

lowing report:

The committee on Manufactures, to whom was referred the petition of the Milford Manufacturing Corporation, praying for the grant of authority to change their corporate name, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the following bill.

F. P. KNOWLTON, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee, entitled "An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered. That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. May, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Ca-

nals, made the following report:

The committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to authorize the laying out of one or more highways over the north and south mill ponds in the city of Portsmouth," have instructed me to report the following resolution.

AMASA MAY, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the November session of the Legislature;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Cushing, from the committee on the Judiciary, made

the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, who were instructed to inquire whether further legislation is necessary in regard to assessing taxes on mining interests, or any other property, have directed me to report the following resolution.

EDMUND L. CUSHING, for the committee.

Resolved, That no further legislation on said subjects is necessary;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Cushing, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing further report:

The committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to repeal chapter nine hundred and ninety-one of the laws of this State," have instructed me to report the following resolution.

EDMUND L. CUSHING, for the committee.

Resolved, That the said bill be indefinitely postponed; Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Carleton, from the committee on Education, made the

following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the petition of Giles Lyman and others, praying for the passage of a law requiring anatomy, physiology and hygiene to be taught in the common schools of this State, and also twelve other petitions relating to the same subject, have had the same under consideration, and direct me to report the accompanying bill.

H. CARLETON, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee, entitled "An act in addition to and amendment of chapter 72 of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Carleton, from the committee on Education, made the

following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the petition of Alpheus Morrill and others, praying for the passage of an act to incorporate the New Hampshire Homeopathic Medical Society, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

H. CARLETON, for the committee.

Resolved, That the committee on Education be discharged from any further consideration of said petition, and that the same be referred to the committee on Incorporations;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Mooney, from the committee on Agriculture, made

the following report:

The committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

IRA MOONEY, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Mooney, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Agriculture, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty for killing crows,' having had the same under

consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

IRA MOONEY, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill which was reported from the committee be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Priest, from the committee on Unfinished Business,

made the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the petition of James L. Bennett, to be severed from New Market and annexed to South New Market, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

MOODY PRIEST, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition be referred to the committee on the Division of Towns.

Mr. Chase of Conway moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words "the Division of Towns," and inserting instead thereof the words "Towns and Parishes."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was adopted.

And the resolution as amended was agreed to.

Mr. Fletcher, from the committee on Unfinished Business,

made the following report:

The committee on Unfinished Business, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the New Hampshire Mutual Live Stock Insurance Company," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

WM. B. FLETCHER, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be referred to the committee on Agriculture;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Eayrs, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, made the following report:

The committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred the petition of Orson Stevens and others, pray-

ing for the grant of an authority to construct a bridge across the Connecticut river, between the towns of Columbia, N. H., and Bloomfield, Vt., have instructed me to make the following report.

JOHN EAYRS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the petition be postponed to the adjourned session of the Legislature; Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the committee on the Asylum for

the Insane, made the following report:

The committee on the Asylum for the Insane, to whom was referred the communication of His Excellency the Governor, covering the reports of the Superintendent, the Board of Trustees and Visitors of said Asylum, have directed me to report the accompanying resolution.

LEVI CHAMBERLAIN, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the Secretary of State cause two thousand copies of the reports of the Superintendent, and Trustees and Board of Visitors of the Asylum for the Insane to be printed and distributed, one copy each to the Governor, the members of the Council, of the Senate and House of Representatives, and the remaining copies to be placed for distribution in the hands of the Board of Visitors, as they shall order and direct;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Chamberlain, from the same committee, made the fol-

lowing further report:

The standing committee on the Asylum for the Insane, to whom was referred so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to that subject, have directed me to report the accompanying resolution.

LEVI CHAMBERLAIN, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of two thousand dollars be, and the same hereby is, appropriated for the main-

tenance of indigent insane persons belonging to this State, at the Asylum for the Insane, to be expended and appropriated for the benefit of such and so many of those persons as His Excellency the Governor shall elect and approve; and the Governor is authorized to draw said sum from the treasury by warrant;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Rust, from the committee on Banks, made the follow-

The committee on Banks, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank," having had that subject under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

HENRY B. RUST, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon

at three o'clock.

Mr. Chase of Conway moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at this time to make a motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Chase of Conway moved that the House resume the consideration of the report from the committee on the Division of Towns, relating to the division of the town of Eaton.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Chase ot Conway, under a suspension of the rules, moved to strike out from the resolution which was reported from the committee on the Division of Towns, the words "with an order of notice," and to insert the words following instead thereof, "and that the petitioners be ordered to give notice to all persons interested in the prayer of said petition, by causing a notice of the pendency thereof to be published in the New Hampshire Patriot three weeks successively prior to the day of the assembling of the next session of the Legislature." On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hackett of Portsmouth moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at this time to introduce a resolution. However the programme and below lived

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Hackett, by leave, then introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the use of this Hall be granted to Mr. Luther Weld, the Principal of the Asylum for the Deaf and Dumb, at Hartford, for an exhibition of his pupils, this afternoon at fifteen minutes before two o'clock.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Haile moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at this time to make a motion.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

On motion of Mr. Haile-

The House resumed the consideration of the report of the their gaine and annual shell committee on Mileage.

On motion of Mr. Stanley-

Resolved, That the report be accepted.

Mr. Adams of Manchester moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at this time to introduce a resolution.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Adams of Manchester then introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the use of the Representatives' Hall be granted to George Copway, the Indian Chief, on Thursday evening next, for an address on the organization of a new territory east of the Missouri river, for the benefit of the Northwest Indians.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the resolution was agreed to.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the orders of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act in addition to the 4th section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a second time.
On motion of Mr. Spalding—

Resolved, That the bill be laid upon the table.

The House proceeded in the orders of the day to the consideration of the joint resolution in favor of the indigent insane;

Which was read a second time.

Ordered, That it be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

The House proceeded in the orders of the day to the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act in addition to and amendment of chapter seventy-two of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a second time.

Mr. Thompson moved to amend the bill by adding at the close thereof the following section:

"This act shall extend and apply only to such towns as at their annual meeting shall adopt the same."

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

Resolved, That the bill, with the amendment, be laid upon the table.

'The House proceeded in the orders of the day to the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act in addition to chapter thirty-nine of the Revised Statutes, relating to persons and property liable to taxation;"

Which was read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Spalding—

Resolved, That the bill lie upon the table.

The House proceeded in the orders of the day to the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation;"

The resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

The resolution in favor of Allen Smith;

The resolution in favor of the Lancaster Academy;

The resolution in relation to the distribution of the School Commissioners' reports;

Which were severally read a second time.

Ordered, That they be read a third time this afternoon at

three o'clock.

The House proceeded in the orders of the day to the consideration of the resolution to authorize the Secretary of State to procure for distribution two thousand printed copies of the reports of the officers of the Asylum for the Insane;

Which was read a second time.

Mr. Bartlett moved to amend the tenth line of the resolution by adding after the word "representatives," the words "and their officers."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was adopted.

Mr. Hurd moved to amend the resolution by striking out the words "one copy," in line 7, and inserting the words "two copies" instead thereof.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was agreed to.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time this af-

ternoon at three o'clock.

The House resumed the consideration of the unfinished business of yesterday upon the joint resolution which was reported from the select committee on the subject of temperance.

The question being,

Shall the resolution be read a second time?

On motion of Mr. Barron-

Resolved, That the resolution be laid upon the table and

made the special order of the day this afternoon at four o'-clock.

On motion of Mr. Spalding-

Resolved, That the Secretary of State be requested to lay before the House the abstracts of inventories returned to his office the present year, agreeably to the provisions of the act of the 28th of June, A. D. 1843, entitled "An act providing for the return of inventories."

Mr. Metcalf, agreeably to previous notice, and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act dividing the State into three Congressional districts:"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Metcalf— Manager Manager

Resolved, That it be referred to a select committee of ten

on that subject.

The Speaker announced the following as the select committee: Messrs. Weeks of Canaan, Mooney of Gilmanton, Walker of Farmington, Wilkinson of Tamworth, Morrill of East Kingston, Dresser of Sutton, Calif of Manchester, Glidden of Unity, Whipple of Columbia and Holt of Troy.

Mr. Metcalf, agreeably to previous notice, and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Sugar

River Bank."

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a first time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time? of the applied moonier

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.

On motion of Mr. Garvin—

Resolved, That the House are now ready to meet the Senate in Convention, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the laws of this State.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of proceeding in the elections, agreeably to the laws of this State,

On motion of Mr. Taylor, of the Senate-

The Convention proceeded by ballot to the choice of Warden of the State Prison.

The chairman announced the state of the vote as	follows:
Whole number of votes cast,	246
Necessary to a choice,	124
Franklin Pierce had	1
Dudley S. Palmer had	3
Joseph French, 2d, had	32
Rufus Dow had	210
-and Rufus Dow was accordingly declared elected	Warden
of the State Prison.	

On motion of Mr. Collins, of the House-

The Convention proceeded by ballot to the choice of Commissary General.

The chairman announced the state of the vote as	follows
Whole number of votes cast,	196
Necessary to a choice,	99
Charles R. Brown had	
Rufus Dow had	of the
Asa Freeman had	
John S. Wells had	
Franklin Pierce had	
John Clark had	1 dence
Thomas Clapham had	2
Edwin R. Goodrich had	
James Avers had	157

—and James Ayers was accordingly declared elected Commissary General.

On motion of Mr. Tuttle, of the Senate-

The Convention rose, and the Senate withdrew.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Mr. Harper of Errol—

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to introduce a bill.

Mr. Harper of Errol then introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Metcalf, by leave, presented the claim of Edson Hill; Mr. Knowlton, by leave, presented the claim of B. Damon and of Horace Call.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Chamberlain of Keene, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in relation to the company for rendering the Connecticut river navigable by Bellows Falls;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Pearson, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter 225 of the Revised Statutes, relating to proceedings in criminal cases;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

On motion of Mr. Preston-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to present a petition.

Mr. Preston then presented the petition of the members of the New Hampshire Annual Conference of the Methodist Episcopal Church, praying for the passage of the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Ordered, That it be referred to the select committee on

the subject of temperance.

Mr. Armstrong, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the President, Directors and company of the Walpole Bank."

On motion of Mr. Preston-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a first time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Banks.

Mr Soutmayd, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Camp-

ton Library Association;"
Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time;

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incor-

porations.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;"

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That the bill be referred to the select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Grafton.

On motion of Mr. Glidden-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to introduce a joint resolution.

Mr. Glidden then introduced the following joint resolu-

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the Adjutant General be and he hereby is authorized to sell and convey, in the name of the State of New Hampshire, all gun houses and gun house lands which in his opinion will no more be required for military purposes, and that he be required to account for the proceeds of such sales to the State;

Which was read a first time.

On the question,

Shall the resolution be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The resolution was then read a second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Military Affairs.

On motion of Mr. Merrill—

The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the general orders of the day upon the resolution to revise and codify the laws of this State;

Which was read a third time.

Mr. Bartlett moved that the resolution be put upon its second reading for the purpose of amendment.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the resolution was put upon its second reading.

Mr. Bartlett moved to amend the resolution by striking out all after the word "convened," and inserting the following instead thereof: "That the Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby authorized to appoint three suitable persons to compile, arrange, and put into chapters, under different heads, the public acts and laws now in force, including the Revised Statutes, and the public acts and laws passed since the revision of the statutes, including the public acts of the present session, with a suitable index to the same, and in such compilation to omit such acts or parts of acts as have been repealed and arranging such acts as have been altered by amendments, so far as can be done, and report to the Legislature on the first day of the next November session thereof.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

The House proceeded in the general orders of the day to the consideration of the following resolution and bills of the following titles:

A resolution in favor of indigent insane persons;

A resolution to authorize the Secretary of State to procure two thousand printed copies of the reports of the officers of the Asylum for the Insane;

A resolution in favor of T. J. Whipple; A resolution in favor of Allen Smith:

A resolution in favor of the Lancaster Academy;

A resolution relating to the distribution of the School Commissioners' report:

"An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank;"

"An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company;"

"An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;"

"An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct;"

"An act to incorporate the Claremont Cutlery Company;"

"An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills;"

"An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation;"

"An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty

for killing crows;"

"An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;"

"An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act for the protection of personal liberty,' passed July 10, 1846;"

Which were severally read a third time.

Resolved, That they pass and that the titles of the bills be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have passed bills with the following titles, in which they ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives, to wit:

'An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled "An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools;"'

'An act in amendment of chapter thirty-three of the Re-

vised Statutes.'

The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of bills with the following titles, to wit:

'An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the

court of common pleas in the county of Carroll;"

'An act to establish the place for filing the list of stock-holders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal railroad.'"

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which came down from the Senate, entitled "An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled 'An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Education.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which came down from the Senate, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter thirty-three of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Pike of Franklin-

Resolved, That the bill be laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Glidden-

Resolved, That the committee on the Judiciary be instructed to inquire into the expediency of further legislation relating to the taxation of real estate conveyed by deed, when a bond has been given to reconvey at a future time.

Mr. Hartshorn introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the preamble and resolutions passed by the Legislature of New Hampshire, in 1849, in answer to the Virginia resolutions, respecting the passage of a fugitive slave law by the Congress of the United States, be and the same are hereby expunged from the statutes of New Hampshire.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the negative. So the resolution was rejected.

Mr. Flanders gave notice that he would to-morrow or on some subsequent day ask leave to introduce a bill, entitled

"An act to incorporate the Manchester Aqueduct."

Mr. J. H. Wiggins, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to amend chapter 729 of the pamphlet laws of this State;"

Which was read a first and second time. Man lo lima M

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Education.

On motion of Mr. Cushing-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at this time to introduce a bill.

Mr. Cushing then introduced a bill, entitled "An act in addition to an act, entitled 'An act to establish the city of Concord,' passed July 6, 1849;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspend-

ed that he have leave at this time to introduce a bill.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan then introduced a bill, entitled "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act relating to houses of correction;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

FOUR O'CLOCK.

On motion of Mr. Abbott of Manchester-

The House proceeded to the consideration of the special orders of the day upon the joint resolution which was reported from the select committee on the subject of temperance.

The question being,

Shall the resolution be read a second time?

Mr. J. H. Wiggins moved that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

On this question, Mr. J. H. Wiggins demanded the yeas and nays;

Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs.-

Morrill of Brentwood,
Dudley,
French of Danville,
Cilley,
Whittier of Deerfield,
Chase of Derry,
Patten,
Plumer,
Flagg,
Head,
Perry of Exeter,

Haley,
Holmes,
Ward,
Healey,
Hanson of Kingston,
Leach,
Vennard,
Frink,
Garland.

Freese, Walker of Portsmouth, Cheever, Hackett, Dearborn of Portsmouth, Moses. Jewell, medala Kennard, Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windham, Folsom. Moody of Dover, Morrill of Dover, J. H. Wiggins, W. B. Wiggin, Wiggin of Durham, Walker of Farmington, Huckins, Osgood, Cole, Shorey, · Pike of Rollinsford, Roberts, Brock, Tilton, Sleeper, Smith of New Hampton, Weeks of Chatham, Emery, Wentworth, Quarles, Page, Quimby of Sandwich, Wilkinson, Mason, Piper, Burbank, Whidden, Hook, White, Seavey, Gale, Chandler,

Parker of Concord, Ray, Pike of Franklin, Straw, Pillsbury, Harper of Loudon, Everett, Clark of Pittsfield, Quimby of Salisbury, Morrison of Bedford, Gould of Brookline, · Collins. Tewksbury, Blaisdell of Goffstown, Adams of Manchester, Abbott of Manchester, Grev of Manchester, Corliss. Hartshorn, Clough, Flanders, Hoyt, Bennett of Manchester, Leavitt, Calif, Smith of Mason, Gove of Milford, Daniels, Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua, Dodge, Spalding, Pearson, Bullard, Atwood of Nashville, Preston, Eaton of New Ipswich, Miller, Gove of Weare, Lane, Harris of Dublin, Eastman of Concord, Adams of Fitzwilliam,

May, Haile. Fox of Jaffrey, Chamberlain, Hutchins, Faulkner, Ingalls, Huntley, Harris of Nelson, Thompson, Randall of Richmond, Kimball, Perry of Rindge, Clark of Roxbury, Norton, Holt, Turner of Winchester, Hodgman, Humphrey, Goss, Cushing, Putnam, Young, Long,

Wood. Elwell. Gilmore, mento I do mandane Carbee, Turner of Bethlehem, Whitney of Marlborough, Smith of Enfield, Huse, andbuill to not Cox, Worthen, Ela, Cragin, Barney, Rogers, Gould of Piermont.

Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs .-

Noves of Atkinson, Fox of Auburn, Morrill of East Kingston, Sargent of Newton, Merrill, Lamprey, Tuttle, Noves of Plaistow, Webster, Bartlett of Portsmouth, Langdon, Whittier of Raymond, Connor, Bayley, Butler, Dow of Seabrook, Davis of Lee, French of Middleton, Meloon, Berry, Richardson,

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Bickford, Rust, Graves, Stark. Locke, Marshall of Hooksett,

Stanley, Knowlton.

Holt, Carr.

Dearborn of Northfield, Cochran. Drake,

Dresser, Eaton of Warner, Whitcher, Harriman, Langley, McKean,

Parsons, Dow of Deering; Abbott of Greenfield, Randall of Ellsworth, Grey of Hancock,

Hatch, Fuller,

Marshall of Hollis,

Warren;

Chase of Litchfield,

Russell, Eayrs,

Smith of Mont Vernon,

Atwood of Pelham, Cutter.

Sawyer, Whiting,

Dearborn of Weare,

Perkins, Morrison of Alstead, Carleton,

Partridge, Fox of Stoddard, Taft,

Bennett of Swanzey, between

Armstrong, Fisher,

Barker of Westmoreland,

Silsby, Marston,

Smith of Grantham, Parker of Lempster,

Wheeler, Metcalf, Gilkey, Moran, Tucker, Glidden, Hanaford,

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Priest.

Davis of Grafton,

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Yeas 145, nays 131.

So the resolution was indefinitely postponed. On motion of Mr. Stanley-The House adjourned.

THURSDAY, June 17, 1852.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that during the remainder of the present session the reading of the journal be dispensed with.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion? It was decided in the affirmative. So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Parker of Lisbon presented the petition of Richard Newhall and one hundred fifteen others, legal voters in the town of Lisbon, and the petition of Betsey E. Newhall and two hundred fifty-five others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, inhabitants of the same town;

Mr. Harris of Dublin presented the petition of Henry Archibald and nine others, legal voters in the town of Dublin. and the petition of Lucy H. Sargent and nine others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, inhabitants of

the same town;

Mr. Preston presented the petition of Tryphena P. Thompson and thirty-six others, females and minors over fourteen years of age, inhabitants of the town of Sutton:

All praying for the passage of a law as nearly as possible identical with that of the State of Maine, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Ordered, That they be referred to the select committee on the subject of temperance.

Mr. Young presented the petition of William M. Ladd and thirteen others, citizens of Claremont, praying for the passage of a law to authorize the teaching of anatomy, physiology and hygiene in common schools, and to require that teachers may be examined as to their qualifications to teach those branches.

Mr. Adams of Manchester presented the petition of Samuel Lee and others, praying for further legislation relating to the authority to receive and appropriate the funds raised for

the support of teachers' institutes.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Ed-

ucation.

Mr. Whitney of Nashua presented the petition of the officers of the Nashua Artillery Company, praying for the grant of an appropriation to build a gun-house.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Milita-

ry Affairs.

Mr. Perry presented the remonstrance of the selectmen of Exeter, and one hundred thirty-five others, legal voters of the same town, remonstrating against the prayer of the petition of John Pease and others, praying to be severed from the town of Exeter and annexed to the town of South New Market.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Towns

and Parishes.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins presented the petition of James Littlefield and others, praying for the passage of an act to repeal the charter of the Cochecho Bank.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of three be appointed by the House, with leave to sit in vacation, and with power to send for persons and papers, to investigate the charges against the Cochecho Bank, made and presented to the Legislature in the petition of James Littlefield and others, praying for a repeal of the charter of said bank, and report to the House at the November session of this Legislature.

Mr. W. B. Wiggin moved to amend the resolution by striking out so much thereof as relates to a select committee of three, and inserting instead thereof the Bank Commis-

sioners of this State.

On motion of Mr. Pike of Franklin-

Resolved, That the petition and resolution be laid upon the table.

Mr. Gregg presented the petition of Waterman Burr and others, praying for the passage of an act to constitute a court of record in each town in this State, where the amount in controversy does not exceed one hundred dollars.

Mr. Fuller presented the petition of John Aiken and fiftythree others, praying for the passage of a law to relieve stock-

holders in railroad corporations in certain cases.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on the Judiciary.

Mr. Metcalf, from the committee on the Judiciary, made

the following report:

The committee on the Judiciary, who were instructed to inquire into the expediency of raising the salaries of the judges and registers of probate in the several counties in this State, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

RALPH METCALF, for the committee.

Resolved, That it is inexpedient to legistate on that subject;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the committee on Railroads,

made the following report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the petition of Philip Colby and forty-four others, praying for the passage of an act to authorize railroad corporations to sell their roads in certain cases, having considered the same, have instructed me to report the following resolution:

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petition;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Weeks, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing further report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act, entitled 'An act to incorporate the Grafton Railroad,' passed July 2, 1847," having considered the same, have directed me to report the following resolution.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That said bill be postponed to the November session of the present Legislature;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Hackett, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the petition of the Great Falls and Conway Railroad, praying for the grant of an authority to unite said corporation with any railroad that may be constructed from Wolf borough to the line of said Great Falls and Conway Railroad, and to make the two roads a joint stock, and the petition of Josiah H. Hobbs and others, stockholders in the Great Falls and Conway Railroad, for a charter from Wolf borough to the line of their road, also the petition of John Berry and seven others, managers of the Suncook Valley Railroad, for an extension of said road; also the petition of Reuel Nims and others for the extension of the Peterborough and Shirley Railroad, and the petition of C. P. Perkins and others for the extension of the Peterborough and Shirley Railroad, having had the same under consideration, have directed me to report the accompanying resolution.

W. H. Y. HACKETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill and petitions be postponed to the next session of the Legislature; Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Hackett, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing further report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to facilitate the completion of existing railroads," and the bill, entitled "An act in addition to and in amendment of the laws relating to railroad corporations," have directed me to report the accompanying resolution.

W. H. Y. HACKETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bills be indefinitely postponed:

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Weeks, from the same committee, made the following

report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act for the relief of the Wilton Railroad Company," having considered the same, have directed me to report the following resolution.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That said bill be postponed to the November session of the present Legislature.

Mr. Weeks, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the petition of the Nashua and Lowell Railroad, praying the Legislature to provide for the adjustment of tolls with the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Corporation, having had the same under consideration, have directed me to report the accompanying bill.

W. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee on Railroads, entitled "An act to provide a mode of adjustment of the terms of connection between Railroads, approved July 5, 1851;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Conner, from the committee on Incorporations, made

the following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act in relation to the company for rendering Connecticut river navigable by Bellows Falls," have instructed me to report the same with the following resolution.

JOSEPH L. CONNER, for the committee.

Resolved, That said bill be postponed to the adjourned session of the Legislature in November next, and that notice of the pendency thereof be given by publication of said bill and this resolution thereon in the New Hampshire Patriot and State Gazette three weeks successively, the last publication whereof to be made at least thirty days prior to the commencement of said November session;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Armstrong, from the same committee, made the following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred

the bill, entitled "An act in addition to an act incorporating the First Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

PELATIAH ARMSTRONG, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

Resolved, That it be laid upon the table.

Mr. Faulkner, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Coos Lumber Company," have attended to the duty assigned them, and have instructed me to report the same with the following amendments.

F. A. FAULKNER, for the committee.

In the the third section, amend by inserting after the word "dollars," the words, "as may be suitable and necessary for carrying on said manufactures;"

In the same section, amend by striking out the words "to

the same," in the sixth line of said section;

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the amendments reported from the committee;

Which were severally agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill as amended be read a third time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered, That it be read a third time this afternoon at

three o'clock.

Mr. Marston, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred the petition of Andrew Veasey and others, praying for the grant of an authority to construct a bridge across the Piscataqua river, and the remonstrance of John McClintock and others, against the same, made a report, whereupon-

Resolved, That the further consideration of the report be

postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

Mr. Carleton, from the committee on Education, made the

following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the subject of education, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

H. CARLETON, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the report of the Board of Education be distributed as follows: five copies to His Excellency the Governor, one copy to each of the members of the Honorable Council and Senate, one copy to each member of the House of Representatives, and to the Clerks, Chaplain, Reporters and Doorkeepers of both Houses, and one copy to each school district in the State, and that the remainder be placed in the hands of the Secretary of the Board of Education, for the use of said Board;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Carleton, from the same committee made the follow-

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to amend chapter seven hundred and twenty-nine of the pamphlet laws of this State," having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

H. CARLETON, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill re-

ported from the committee.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland moved to amend the bill in line five of section one, by striking out the words "a majority," and inserting the words "two-thirds," instead there-

Mr. J. H. Wiggin moved that the resolution be laid upon the table.

On the question, and and addition of the land of the contract Will the House agree to the motion? It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to lay the bill upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Pike of Franklin-

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill be postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

Mr. Bennett of Manchester, from the same committee,

made the following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the bill from the Senate, entitled "An act in addition to an act, passed July 3, 1845, entitled 'An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools," having had the bill under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

J. E. BENNETT, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Davis of Lee, from the committee on Millitary Affairs,

made the following report:

The committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the joint resolution authorizing the Adjutant General to sell and convey, in the name of the State of New Hampshire, all gun houses and gun house lands which in his opinion will no more be required for military purposes, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the same without amendment.

NATHANIEL G. DAVIS, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the resolution be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Rix, from the committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the petition of the field officers of the fifth regiment, and of the field officers of the thirty-fourth regiment, and of the field officers of the thirty-ninth regiment of the New Hampshire militia, all praying for the removal of certain officers, reported "An address for the removal of certain officers therein named:"

Which was read and agreed to.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Rix, from the same committee, made the following

report:

The committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to the militia, also a resolution instructing said committee to inquire into the expediency of so amending the militia laws as to require active duty of the militia of this State, have had the same under consideration, and instruct me to report the following resolution.

M. H. RIX, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the same be postponed to the adjourned session of the Legislature;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.
Mr. Rix, from the same committee, made the following

report:

The committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the petition of William T. Carr and seventy-two others, praying for an alteration of the militia laws, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

M. H. RIX, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioners have leave to bring in a bill;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Wheeler-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at this time to introduce a bill.

Mr. Wheeler then introduced a bill, entitled "An act in amendment of an act incorporating the New England Mutual Fire Insurance Company;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Mr. Wheeler moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to suspend their rules.

Ordered, That the bill be referred to the committee on Incorporations.

Mr. Sleeper, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and

Canals, made the following report :

The committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred the petition of William Franklin and others, praying for the grant of an authority to construct a bridge across the Connecticut river, and the petition of John Kimball and others, praying for the same object, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to make the following report.

HENRY H. SLEEPER, for the committee.

Resolved, That said petitioners have leave to bring in a bill;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. May, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Ca-

nals, made the following report:

The committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred the petition of the selectmen of Lincoln and others, praying for the grant of an appropriation to assist in repairing a certain road in said town of Lincoln, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

AMASA MAY, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of three hundred dollars be, and the same is, hereby appropriated for the purpose of repairing the road through the town of Lincoln, in the county of Grafton, to be paid out of any money not otherwise appropriated; said sum to be expended under the direction of an agent appointed by the selectmen of the said town of Lincoln;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. W. B. Wiggin, from the committee on Finance, made

the following report:

The committee on Finance, to whom were referred the estimates of the State Treasurer, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

WM. B. WIGGIN, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the Treasurer of this State, be and hereby is authorized to borrow on the credit and for the use of the State, at such times and in such portions as he may consider necessary and proper, a sum not exceeding thirty-six thousand dollars, at the lowest rate of interest at which the same can be procured, not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and the Treasurer for the time being is authorized to pay the sum so borrowed, and the interest thereon, when the same shall become due, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

On motion of Mr. W. B. Wiggin-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second time.

On motion of Mr. Spalding-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Tennant, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Treasurer's estimates, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

JOHN TENNANT, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of three hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, or so much of said sum as may be deemed necessary by the Chaplain of the State Prison, for books, newspapers, and moral and religious instruction of the convicts in the State Prison, two hundred dollars of the above sum to be appropriated for ser-

vices of the Chaplain in the State Prison the ensuing political year, and His Excellency the Governor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the same from time to time, as he may deem expedient;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Tennant-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second time.

Mr. Bartlett moved to amend the resolution as follows: Strike out all after the word "appropriated," in line five, and insert instead thereof the words following: "two hundred dollars of said sum to be appropriated for the services of the Chaplain of the State Prison the ensuing political year, and the remaining one hundred dollars thereof to be appropriated for books, newspapers, and the moral instruction of the convicts in the State Prison, and His Excellency the Governor is hereby authorized to draw his warrant on the Treasurer for the same from time to time, as he may deem expedient."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barron-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Chase of Derry, from the same committee, made the

following report:

The committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Treasurer's estimates, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

ROBERT CHASE, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of five hundred dollars be and the same hereby is appropriated for the contingent expenses of the State, and that His Excellency the Governor be and hereby is authorized to draw from time to time from the treasury for such expenses, such sums as to him may appear necessary, not exceeding in the whole the above sum;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Smith of Freedom, from the same committee, made the following report:

The committee on Finance, to whom was referred the Treasurer's estimate, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

JOSEPH SMITH, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of twenty-four hundred dollars be and the same is hereby appropriated for the education of indigent deaf and dumb persons of this State at the asylum at Hartford, and the sum of six hundred dollars for the purpose of educating indigent blind and partially blind persons of this State at the institution for the blind at Boston; that said sums be respectively expended and applied for the benefit of such and so many of those persons as His Excellency the Governor shall select and approve, and the Governor is hereby authorized to draw said sums from the treasury by warrant;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Whitney of Marlborough, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, made the following report:

The committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred the petition of William Whicher and others, the petition of William Merrill and forty-four others, legal voters of the town of Landaff, the petition of Asahel Wheeler

and eighteen others, legal voters of the town of Bath, praying for an amendment of the laws in relation to the laying out of highways, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

B. WHITNEY, Jr., for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petitions be postponed to the next session of the Legislature;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Pillsbury, from the committee on Agriculture, made

the following report:

The committee on Agriculture, who were instructed to inquire whether any further legislation is necessary to prevent malicious injury to fruit trees, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the accompanying bill.

OLIVER PILLSBURY, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee, entitled "An act in amendment of chapter one thousand and ninety-five of the laws of this State;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Chase of Conway, from the committee on Elections,

made the following report:

The committee on Elections, to whom was referred the remonstrance of Charles Hastings and seventy-three others, legal voters of New Ipswich, remonstrating against the right of the members from that town to seats in this House, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

FRANCIS R. CHASE, for the committee.

Resolved, That the said remonstrants have leave to withdraw their remonstrance;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Piper, from the committee on Claims, made the following report:

The committee on Claims, to whom were referred the accounts of Edson Hill and J. Carter & Son, having examined

the same have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

J. H. PIPER, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That Edson Hill be allowed the sum of forty-nine dollars and eighty cents, in full of his account, and that J. Carter & Son be allowed the sum of ten dollars and fifty cents, in full of their account, and that the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Moulton, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Claims, to whom were referred the accounts of David Watson, B. Damon and Horace Call, having had the same under consideration, have directed me to report the following joint resolution.

JOHN H. MOULTON, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That David Watson be allowed the sum of one hundred dollars, in full of his account, and that B. Damon be allowed the sum of nine dollars, in full of his account, and that Horace Call be allowed the sum of three dollars and eighty-nine cents, in full of his account, and that the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated;

Which was accepted.

The resolution was then read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow fore-noon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Wheeler, from the committee on Incorporations, made

the following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom was referred a bill to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the bill in a new draft.

EDMUND WHEELER, for the committee,

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee in a new draft, entitled "An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the committee on Railroads,

made the following report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the petition of the Wilton Railroad Company, praying for the alteration of their charter, having considered the same, have directed me to report the accompanying bill.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the bill which was reported from the committee, entitled, "An act to amend the charter of the Wilton Railroad Company;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time to-morrow in the forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Bartlett, from the select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Rockingham, made the fol-

lowing report:

The delegation of the county of Rockingham, to whom was referred the petition of N. G. Gilman and others, praying for an increase of the salary of the Treasurer of said county, have directed me to report the following resolution.

ICHABOD BARTLETT, for the delegation.

Resolved, That it is inexpedient to legislate upon that subject;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. J. H. Wiggins, from the select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Strafford, made the

following report:

The committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Strafford, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act relating to the repairs of the jail in the county of Strafford," having had the same under consideration, have

instructed me to report the same with the following amendments.

J. H. WIGGINS, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the amendments to the bill which were reported from the committee, and were as follows:

To strike out the letter "a" in the last syllable of the word "Carrall," wherever said word occurs in said act, and insert in the place thereof the letter "o." To strike out all after the word "repair," in the 12th line of the 1st section of said bill, and insert after said word "repair" the following: "Said proportion to be ascertained, allowed and ordered to be paid by the presiding justice of the court of common pleas in and for the county of Strafford, at each and every January term thereof, the proportion of each of said counties of Belknap and Carroll to be the same proportion the public taxes are apportioned to them respectively. And the order of said presiding justice shall be a sufficient voucher to the respective treasurers of said counties of Belknap and Carroll for the payment of such sum as may be allowed in pursuance of the provisions of this act."

To alter the date of said bill by striking out the word "one" in the third line of the same, and insert in the place

thereof the word "two."

Which were severally agreed to.

On the question,

Shall the bill as amended be read a third time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

Ordered, That it be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Grafton, made the

following report:

The select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Grafton, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton," having considered the same, have instructed me to report the bill without amendment.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Ordered, That the bill be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the same committee, made

the following report:

The select committee consisting of the delegation from the county of Grafton, to whom were referred the petition of Isaac Bullock and thirty-six others, the petition of Jonathan Kittridge and twenty-seven others, the petition of Converse Goodhue and twenty-nine others, the petition of Uriah F. Larey and forty-three others, the petition of D. G. A. Foster and nine others, the petition of James Pattee and fifty-three others, the petition of Jesse Martin and one hundred and sixteen others, all praying for a third judicial district in the county of Grafton, also the bill, entitled "An act to create a third judicial district in the county of Grafton," having considered the same, have directed me to report the following resolution.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That said petitions and bill be postponed to the next session of the present Legislature;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

The House resumed the consideration of the message of His Excellency the Governor, with the accompanying communication from the city government of Philadelphia.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett-

Resolved, That they be referred to a select committee of

five, to be appointed by the Speaker.

Mr. Abbott of Manchester moved that the House do now resume the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland moved that the House do

now adjourn.

On this question,

Mr. J. H. Wiggins demanded the yeas and nays; Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs.-

Hurd,

Sargent of Newton,

Lamprey, Freese, Noyes of Plaistow. Webster, Bartlett of Portsmouth, Langdon, Brown, en herrelet er Bayley, Butler, Dow of Seabrook, Moody of Dover, J. H. Wiggins, Horne, Horne, Walker of Farmington, Davis of Lee, French of Middleton, Berry, Brock, Richardson, Woodman, Moulton, Tilton, Sleeper, Mooney, Merrill, Tebbetts, Pitman, Pease, Holland, Smith of New Hampton, Weeks of Sanbornton, Connor, Parrish. Lyford, Chase of Conway, Atkinson, Meloon, Smith of Freedom, Garvin, Bickford, Rust, Graves,

Gerrish, Locke, Marshall of Hooksett, Stanley, Knowlton, Holt, and and low violen and Carr, Dearborn of Northfield, Cochran, Clark of Pittsfield, Drake, austro sma bas Dresser, Eaton of Warner, Harriman, Langley, McKean, Dow of Deering, Abbott of Greenfield, Gray of Hancock, Hatch, Fuller, Marshall of Hollis, Warren, Chase of Litchfield, Russell, Flanders, Eayrs, Smith of Mont Vernon, Gregg, Atwood of Pelham, Sawyer, Whiting, Dearborn of Weare, Perkins, Morrison of Alstead, Carleton, Fox of Stoddard, Taft, Bennett of Swanzey, Armstrong, Fisher,

Barker of Westmoreland. Silsby, Cushing, Marston, Smith of Grantham. Parker of Lempster, Wheeler, Gilkey, Tucker. Glidden. Jones, Malliwana Whitcher, Turner of Bethlehem,

Hannaford. Southmayd, Weeks of Canaan, Eastman of Danbury, Blaisdell of Dorchester, Randall of Ellsworth, Smith of Enfield.

Priest. Davis of Grafton,

Heath.

Leach.

Eaton of Hanover,

Pike of Hanover,

Hersey,

Moody of Landaff, Parker of Lisbon,

Doton, Hadley, Market Barrel Barnard. Pomroy,

Grey of Woodstock,

Ellingwood, Gibb. Lumbard, Whipple, Rix,

Harper of Errol, Hazeltine. Plaisted, Cossitt. Amy, Scates, Jackson,

Fletcher, Marshall of Stratford. Gove of Whitefield.

Hackett,

Dearborn of Portsmouth,

Cheever.

Moses,

Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs.-

Fox of Auburn, Morrill of Brentwood, Dudley, French of Danville, Whittier of Deerfield, Patten, Plumer, Flagg, Head. Holmes, Ward. Healey, Hanson of Kingston,

Kennard, Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windham, Morrill of Dover, W. B. Wiggin, Wiggin of Durham, Huckins, Osgood, Cole, Shorev. Walker of Portsmouth, Pike of Rollinsford,

Weeks of Chatham. Emery, Wentworth, Quarles, Page. Quimby of Sandwich, Wilkinson, Mason, Burbank, Whidden, Hook, White. Seavey, Gale, Chandler. Eastman of Concord, Parker of Concord, Ray, Pike of Franklin, Straw, Pillsbury, Harper of Loudon, Everett, Quimby of Salisbury, Collins, Tewksbury, Blaisdell of Goffstown, Adams of Manchester, Abbott of Manchester, Grey of Manchester, Corliss, Hartshorn, Clough, Hovt. Bennett of Manchester, Leavitt, Calif. Smith of Mason, Gove of Milford, Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua,

Dodge, Spalding, Pearson, Bullard, Atwood of Nashville, Preston. Eaton of New Ipswich, Miller. Partridge, Harris of Dublin, Adams of Fitzwilliam, May, Haile. Fox of Jaffrey, Chamberlain, Hutchins, Faulkner, Whitney of Marlborough, Huntley. Harris of Nelson, Randall of Richmond, Perry of Rindge, Clark of Roxbury, Norton. Holt. Turner of Winchester, Humphrey, Putnam. Young, Long, Wood, Elwell, Haman Tanana III Metcalf, Gilmore. Carbee, Ingalls, Huse, Thompson, Kimball, Morse, Ela, Cragin,

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Hodgman, Rogers, Gould of Piermont.

Yeas 134, nays 119.

So the House adjourned.

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wision of the State of New Hampshire into Senaterial Dis-

The House proceeded to the consideration of the general orders of the day upon bills of the following titles and the following resolutions:

"An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court

of common pleas in the county of Grafton:"

"An act relating to the repairing of the jail in the county of Strafford ;"

"An act to incorporate the Coos Lumber Company;"

"An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled 'An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools;"

A resolution relating to gun houses and gun house lands: A resolution relating to the Chaplain and library of the

State Prison:

Which were severally read a third time.

Resolved, That they pass, and that the titles of the bills be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Moses, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, by

leave, made the following report:

The committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined, and find correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles, to wit:

"An act to establish the place for filing the list of stockholders of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad;"

"An act in amendment of chapter seventy-three of the Revised Statutes;"

"An act to alter the times of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Carroll."

SAMUEL W. MOSES, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Said bills were then severally signed by the Speaker. Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker announced the following committee on the division of the State of New Hampshire into Senatorial Districts, viz:

Messrs. Sargent of Wentworth, Atwood of Pelham, Chase of Conway, Sleeper of Gilford, Wheeler, Walker of Portsmouth, Fisher, Folsom, Cossitt, and Tennant of Allenstown.

The Speaker announced the following committee relating to the grant of an appropriation to erect a monument to the

memory of the late Meshech Weare, viz:

Messrs. Glidden, Rogers of Orford, Jackson of Londonderry, Bennett of Swanzey, Flanders of Manchester, Marshall of Hooksett, Hanson of Dover, Barron of Sanbornton, and Piper of Tuftonborough.

The Speaker announced the following committee on the message of His Excellency the Governor, relating to the communication from the authorities of the city government of Philadelphia, viz:

Messrs. Bartlett of Portsmouth, Weeks of Canaan, Tennant, Walker of Farmington, and Noves of Atkinson.

Mr. Stark, by leave, presented the account of William Fisk, and the account of Shadrach Seavey.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Claims.

Claims.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of a bill entitled as follows, to wit: 'An act to real an act, entitled "An act for the further protection of personal liberty."'

Mr. Marshall of Hooksett introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That a committee of two from each county be

appointed to collect statistics in relation to the apportionment of public taxes, and make report at the adjourned session of the Legislature.

On motion of Mr. Spalding of Nashua-

Resolved, That the resolution be laid upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Wheeler of Newport-

Resolved, That the House are now ready to meet the Senate in Convention, for the purpose of hearing the report of the joint committee appointed to wait upon the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printers, and receive of them the customary bonds.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggin of Dover-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to introduce a bill.

Mr. J. H. Wiggin then introduced a bill, entitled "An act relating to the police of towns;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Mr. J. H. Wiggin moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time at the present time.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

The bill was then read a third time.

Resolved. That it pass and that the title of the bill be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

IN CONVENTION.

The Senate and House of Representatives being assembled in Convention in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of receiving and considering the report of the joint select committee who were appointed to wait upon the Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Public Printers, and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept the same to receive of them the customary bonds, Mr. Hoitt of the Senate, by leave, made the following re-

port:

The joint select committee appointed to wait on the Secretary of State, the State Treasurer and Public Printers elect, and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept to receive of them the bonds required by law and lay the same before the convention of the two houses, have instructed me to report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and that those gentlemen have signified their acceptance of the respective offices to which they have been elected, and furnished satisfactory bonds, which are herewith respectfully submitted.

ALFRED HOITT, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

On motion of Mr. Taylor, of the Senate-

Resolved, That the bonds of the State Treasurer and of the Public Printers be deposited with the Secretary of State, and the bond of the Seretary of State be deposited with the State Treasurer.

On motion of Mr. Hackett of the House— The Convention rose, and the Senate withdrew.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

On motion of Mr. Moses of Portsmouth—

Resolved, That a committee be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon the Warden elect and Commissary General, and inform them of their election, and if they accept of said offices, to receive of them the customary bonds.

Ordered, That Messrs. Flanders of Manchester and Fuller of Nottingham be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and

request their concurrence therein.

The Speaker announced that a communication had been laid upon his table from the Secretary of the Board of Education.

On motion of Mr. Bartlett— Resolved, That it be laid upon the table. On motion of Mr. Preston-

The House resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

The question being,

Shall the bill be read a second time?

It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a second time by its title.

Mr. Pike proposed to amend the bill by striking out the 19th section and inserting the following instead thereof:

"Sec. 19. This act shall take effect on the 13th day of September next, and all acts and parts of acts inconsistent with the provisions of this act shall not be in force and are hereby repealed from and after the time of the taking effect of this act; such repeal, however, not to affect any action or process that may have been commenced under any existing law, before this act goes into effect, and this act may be

suspended as hereinafter provided.

"Sec. 20. The people shall be assembled in their respective cities and towns in meetings to be legally warned and held on the second Tuesday of September next, at which meeting all the inhabitants qualified to vote may give in their ballots, on which shall be printed the question, 'Shall the act, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops," be suspended in its operation for one year?' with the words 'Yes' or 'No' thereunder, and those who vote yes shall vote for suspending the law, and those who vote no shall vote for sustaining it; and the officers who shall preside at said meetings shall in open meeting receive, sort, count and declare the votes of the inhabitants for and against the same; and the said votes shall be recorded by the Clerks of the said cities and towns, and the returns thereof shall be made out under the hands of the Mayor and Aldermen of the several cities, and of the Selectmen of the several towns, or a majority of them, and of the clerks of the said cities and towns respectively, and sealed up and transmitted to the office of the Secretary of State within seven days after the meeting, and the Governor and Council shall open and examine said returns, and if it shall be found upon such examination that a majority of said ballots shall be in the affirmative, then the Governor shall forthwith issue his proclamation declaring this act suspended in its operation for one year from the said 13th of September, and this

act shall thereupon be suspended.

"Sec. 21. The Secretary of State shall, as soon as may be after the passage of this act, transmit copies of the same to the Clerks of the several cities and towns of this State, together with suitable blank forms of returns to show the number of votes cast in such cities and towns."

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland moved to amend the amendment by striking out the words "the thirteenth day of September," and inserting the words, "the twentieth day of

November."

Mr. Chamberlain called for a division of the question.

On the question,

Shall the words, "the thirteenth day of September," be stricken out?

Mr. Weeks of Canaan demanded the yeas and nays;
Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs.—

Noves of Atkinson, Fox of Auburn, Hanson of Kingston, Hurd. Frink, Lamprey, Freese, Tuttle, Webster. Bartlett of Portsmouth, Langdon, Whittier of Raymond, Brown. Bayley, Butler. Dow of Seabrook, Horne. Walker of Farmington, Davis of Lee, Berry. Brock. Richardson,

Woodman, Jenkins, Moulton, Mooney, Merrill, Tebbetts. Pitman, Pease, Holland, Weeks of Sanbornton. Connor. Parrish. Lyford, Atkinson, Meloon, Smith of Freedom, Piper, Garvin, Bickford, Rust. Graves,

Stark.

Ray, Locke, Marshall of Hooksett, Stanley, Knowlton, Holt, Carr, Dearborn of Northfield, Cochran, Clark of Pittsfield, Drake, Quimby of Salisbury, Dresser, Eaton of Warner, Harriman, Langley, McKean, Morrison of Bedford, Moore, Parsons, Dow of Deering, Abbott of Greenfield, Grev of Hancock, Hatch, Fuller, Marshall of Hollis, Warren, Chase of Litchfield, Russell. Eayrs, Smith of Mont Vernon, Atwood of Pelham, Cutter, Sawyer, Whiting, Dearborn of Weare, Perkins. Morrison of Alstead, Carleton, Patridge, May,

Fox of Stoddard, Taft. Bennett of Swanzey, Armstrong, Fisher, Barker of Westmoreland, Silsby, Marston, Smith of Grantham, Parker of Lempster, Wheeler, Metcalf, Moran, Tucker, Glidden, Gilmore, Whitcher, Hannaford, Southmayd, Weeks of Canaan, Eastman of Danbury, Blaisdell of Dorchester, Randall of Ellsworth, Smith of Enfield, Priest, Davis of Grafton, Heath, Eaton of Hanover, Pike of Hanover, Hersey, Moody of Landaff, Parker of Lisbon, Barney, Doton, Barnard, Pomroy, Grey of Woodstock, Stilphen, Ellingwood, Gibb, Lumbard, Whipple,

Rix, Harper of Errol, Hazeltine, Plaisted, Cossitt. Amy,

Scates, Jackson, Fletcher, Marshall of Stratford. Gove of Whitefield.

Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs .-

Morrill of Brentwood, Dudley, French of Danville, Osgood, Cilley, Whittier of Deerfield, Chase of Derry, Patten, Plumer, Plumer, Flagg, Head, Perry of Exeter, Haley, Windand to sanutach Holmes, Ward, Manual Company Healey, Vennard, Sargent of Newton, Wilkinson, Walker of Portsmouth, Mason, Cheever, Tennant, Gerrish, Hackett, Dearborn of Portsmouth, Burbank, Moses, Moderal to as And Whidden, Jewell, Kennard, Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windham, Gale, Folsom, Chandler, Morrill of Dover, Parker of Concord, J. H. Wiggins, Pike of Franklin, W. B. Wiggin, Straw. Wiggin of Durham, Pillsbury,

Huckins, French of Middleton. Cole. Shorey, Pike of Rollinsford, Roberts, Tilton, Sleeper. Smith of New Hampton, Barron, Weeks of Chatham, Emery, Wentworth, Quarles, Page, Garland, Quimby of Sandwich, Hook, White, Seavey, Moody of Dover, Eastman of Concord,

Huntley, Collins, Hartshorn, Clough, Flanders, Bennett of Manchester, Young, Leavitt, Calif, Smith of Mason, Gove of Milford, Daniels, Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua, Carbee, Dodge, Pearson, Bullard, Preston. Gove of Weare, Fox of Jaffrey, Gould of Piermont. Chamberlain,

Harper of Loudon, Manual Hutchins, Manual Had? Everett, Faulkner, Gould of Brookline, Whitney of Marlborough, Tewksbury,
Blaisdell of Goffstown,
Randall of Richmond, Adams of Manchester, Perry of Rindge, Abbott of Manchester, Clark of Roxbury, Grey of Manchester, Norton, Holt, Turner of Winchester, Humphrey, and Hamble Cushing, In hahead acquist Putnam, Manual Harman Long, as drain on land Wood, Hall, Elwell, Gilkey, and an amendment Jones, Military Man Towards Ingalls, Huse, per em le and do not Thompson, Atwood of Nashville, Kimball, Sand Odbile Morse, Market Market Parket Eaton of New Ipswich, Cox, Miller, want and have Worthen, Worthen, Ela. Lane, Cragin, Cragin, Harris of Dublin, Hodgman, Hodgman, Cragin, Control of the aO Adams of Fitzwilliam, Goss, Rogers, Rogers,

Yeas 139, nays 137.

So the words, "the thirteenth day of September," were stricken out.

On the question,

Shall the words, "the twentieth day of November," be inserted in the place of the words which were stricken out?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment to the amendment was agreed to.

The question recurred,

Will the House agree to the amendment as amended? It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Marshall of Hooksett moved that the House do now adjourn.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative. So the House refused to adjourn.

Mr. Glidden moved to amend the bill by adding at the close of the ninth section thereof the words following:—
"and any person who shall manufacture or sell, or have in his possession with intent to sell, any adulterated wine or spirituous liquors, he shall be subject to the same fine and punishment as is provided in this act for other violations thereof, and such adulterated wine or spirituous liquor shall be taken and disposed of in the same way and manner as spirituous or intoxicating liquors kept or deposited in violation of this act are required to be destroyed."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Stanley of Hopkinton moved that the House do now adjourn.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative. So the House refused to adjourn.

Mr. Pillsbury moved to amend the bill by adding at the close of the fourteenth section the words following: "and provided, also, that this act shall not be so construed as to prohibit the manufacture and sale of cider for mechanical and other purposes, except for a beverage.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the negative.

So the amendment was rejected.

Mr. Pike of Franklin moved to amend the bill by adding at the close of section one the words following: "provided the manufacture of cider be exempt from the provisions of this act for the manufacture and sale thereof."

Before the question was put,

Mr. Pike of Franklin withdrew the amendment.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a third time? It was decided in the affirmative.

Mr. Chamberlain of Keene moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be in order to be read a third time to-morrow at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the third reading of the bill was made the special order of the day to-morrow morning at ten o'clock.

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland, by leave, presented the claims of William L. Foster and of B. W. Sanborn.

Ordered, That they be referred to the committee on Claims.

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland— The House adjourned.

FRIDAY, June 18, 1852.

Mr. Chase of Conway presented the petition of Joseph Perkins and others, praying for the grant of an appropriation to construct a road through Pinkham's Grant, in the county of Coos.

that said committee be opered to investigate the charges

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Roads,

Bridges and Canals.

Mr. Pitman presented the petition of Thomas Eastman and others, praying for further legislation to protect land owners and others from flowage and other abuses of their aquatic rights.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on the Ju-

diciary.

Mr. Metcalf, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act relating to houses of correction," reported the same in a new draft.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

Resolved, That the report be laid upon the table.

Mr. Hackett, from the committee on Railroads, made the

following report:

The committee on Railroads, to whom was referred the petitions of John T. Cohill and five others, of Nathaniel Boynton and twenty-nine others, of Lewis Colby and five others, of Philip F. Patten and twenty-eight others, of Jonathan Cogswell and thirteen others, of George P. Hadley and six others, of Elias Dickey and ten others, of Peter C. Hadley and five others, and of Peter Jones and ten others, stockholders in the New Hampshire Central Railroad, also the petition of forty-four others, not stockholders in said railroad, all praying for the appointment of a committee to investigate the alleged abuses in said corporation, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the accompanying resolution.

W. H. Y. HACKETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the committee on Railroads be discharged from the further consideration of said several petitions and that the same be referred to a select committee of three, and that said committee be directed to investigate the charges made in said petitions, and for this purpose have authority to send for persons and papers, and to sit in the recess, and report thereon at the adjourned session of the Legislature;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Atwood, from the committee on the Division of

Towns, made the following report:

The committee on the Division of Towns, to whom was referred the petition of B. Wiggin and one hundred and fifteen others, praying for the division of the town of Ossipee, and the remonstrance of John Smith and eleven others, remonstrating against the division of said town, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the accompanying resolution.

J. ATWOOD, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition and remonstrance be postponed to the adjourned session of this Legislature, with the usual order of notice;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Atwood, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing further report:

The committee on the Division of Towns, to whom were referred sundry petitions praying for the division of the town of Dover, and sundry remonstrances against the division of said town, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the accompanying resolution.

JOSHUA ATWOOD, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petitions and remonstrances be postponed to the next session of this Legislature:

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Bennett, from the committee on Education, made the

following report:

The committee on Education, to whom was referred the petition of L. W. Leonard and twenty others, praying for the passage of a law to amend the existing laws relating to superintending school committees, the petition of A. F. Hildreth and others, of M. G. Foster and others, of Daniel March and others, of William M. Ladd and thirteen others, all relating to the introduction of the study of anatomy, physiology and hygiene into the common schools of this State, the petition of Samuel Lee and others, relating to teachers' institutes, the petition of Charles C. Crane and others, praying for the passage of an act in amendment of the charter of the Literary Adelphi, the resolution to instruct the committee on Education to inquire whether any additional legislation is necessary in relation to the distribution of the literary fund, and a communication of the State Treasurer relating to the amount paid the State and County School Commissioners each year since the year 1846, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

J. E. BENNETT, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petitions, resolution and communication from the State Treasurer be postponed to the next session of this Legislature, and that the Clerk restore the same to this committee at that time;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to. Mr. Silsby, from the committee on Millitary Affairs, made

the following report:

The committee on Military Affairs, to whom was referred the petition of the officers of the Nashua Artillery, praying for the grant of an appropriation for a new gun house, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the accompanying resolution.

JOSEPH G. SILSBY, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition be postponed to the adjourned session of this Legislature; Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Mooney, from the committee on agriculture, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the New Hampshire Mutual Live Stock Insurance Company," made a report, whereupon—

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be

postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

Mr. Hutchins, from the committee on Public Lands, made

the following report:

The committee on Public Lands, to whom was referred the petition of David F. Hall and thirty-five others, legal voters of the town of Pittsburg, praying for the enactment of a law to quiet E. C. Aldrich, jr., and Ira Quimby, as to any claim or title of this State to lands occupied by them, and the petition of E. D. Hutchinson and others, of the same town, praying for the grant of two lots of the public lands of this State to Elijah C. Sawyer, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

WILLIAM S. HUTCHINS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the petitioners have leave to withdraw their petitions;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.
Mr. Garvin, from the committee on Military Accounts,

made the following report:

The committee on Military Accounts, to whom were referred the accounts and vouchers of the Adjutant General of

this State, have had the same under consideration, and instruct me to report that they have carefully examined said accounts and have found then well vouched and correctly cast, and that there is a balance unexpended of fifteen dollars and sixty-four cents of the money appropriated in the hands of said Adjutant General.

EBENEZER GARVIN, for the committee.

Which was accepted. Mr. Baldwin, from the committee on the Alteration of Names, to whom were referred sundry petitions, praying for the alteration of the names of certain persons therein mentioned, reported a bill, entitled "An act to alter the names of certain persons therein named;"

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. May, from the committee on Roads, Bridges and Ca-

nals, made the following report:

The committee on Roads, Bridges and Canals, to whom was referred the petition of Duncan A. Ross and others, praying for the grant of an appropriation to construct the Pinkham's Grant road, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

AMASA MAY, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of three hundred dollars be, and the same is, hereby appropriated for the purpose of building a road through Pinkham's Grant, to be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated; said sum to be expended under the direction of an agent appointed by the Governor and Council.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the resolution which was reported from the committee on Roads,

Bridges and Canals;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at

Mr. Eaton, from the committee on the State Prison, made eleven o'clock. the following report:

The committee on the State Prison, to whom was refer-

red so much of the message of His Excellency the Governor as relates to that Institution, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to submit the following report and joint resolution.

LEONARD EATON, for the committee.

The committee have made an examination of the Prison, the buildings in the yard, and the fence on the wall, and are unanimous of the opinion that some repairs are immediately

A part of the old workshop should be slated, not only for the protection of the occupants and machinery and materials in it from the weather, but also from fire.

The fence and watch boxes on the walls should be repaired immediately, as some parts of said fence and watch boxes are in a decayed condition, and will soon be, if not already, unsafe.

We would also recommend the erection of a new building in the yard, as advised by His Excellency the Governor, and the committee are of the opinion that the material should be of brick, and the roof slated.

The committee would also renew the recommendation of the committee of last year for conveying water into the Prison yard, for they consider it highly important.

The committee would further say that the government and administration of the affairs of the Prison meets their entire approbation.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of eighteen hundred dollars be, and the same is, hereby appropriated to defray the expense of building a new building in the State Prison yard, for covering with slate the north and south end of the Cabinet and Smith shop, for conveying water into the State Prison yard, and for the repair of the fence on the Prison wall; that the same be expended by the Warden, with advice from the Governor and Council, and that the Governor be authorized to draw a sum not less than thirteen hundred dollars of the money now in the hands of said Warden belonging to the State, and a sum not exceeding five hundred dollars, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated, for the above purposes.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the resolu-

tion which was reported from the committee on the State Prison;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Parker, from the committee on Claims, to whom were referred the claims of William L. Foster and of Mor-

rill & Silsby, reported the following joint resolution:

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That Wm. L. Foster be allowed the sum of three hundred sixty-nine dollars and ten cents, in full of his account, and that Morrill & Silsby be allowed the sum of four hundred and thirty-seven dollars and fifty-one cents, in full of their account, and that the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated:

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Moulton, from the same committee made the follow-

ing report :

The committee on Claims, to whom was referred the account of William Fisk, having had the same under consideration, instruct me to report the following joint resolution.

JOHN H. MOULTON, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That William Fisk be allowed the sum of two hundred fifty-nine dollars and nine cents, in full of his account, and the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Grey, from the same committee, made the following

report:

The committee on Claims, to whom was referred the account of Daniel A. Hill, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

WILLIAM GREY, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That Daniel A. Hill be allowed the sum of thirty-five dollars in full of his account, and the same be paid out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated;

Which was read a first time.

Ordered, That it be read a second time this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan, from the select committee consisting of the delegations from the counties of Coos and Graf-

ton, made the following report:

The delegations from the counties of Grafton and Coos, to whom were referred the petition of Robert Tuttle and others, the petition of Benj. Brooks, Jr., and others, the petition of the selectmen of Lisbon, the petition of C. R. Norcross and others, the petition of E. C. Henry and one hundred thirty-two others, the petition of P. Putnam and others, the petition of A. Moore and ninety-one others, all praying for a new county, have considered the same and have instructed me to report the accompanying resolution.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petitions be postponed to the November session of the present Legislature;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

Mr. Chase of Conway, from the select committee consisting of the delegations from the counties of Coos and Carroll,

made the following report:

The select committee consisting of the delegations from the counties of Coos and Carroll, to whom were referred the petition of C. C. Pendexter and eighty others, legal voters of the town of Bartlett, the petition of John F. Gerrish and seventy-three others, legal voters of the town of Jackson, and the petition of N. T. P. Davis and seven others, inhabitants of Hart's Location, praying that said towns of Bartlett and Jackson and Hart's Location may be disannexed from the county of Coos and annexed to the county of Carroll, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following resolution.

FRANCIS R. CHASE, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petitions be postponed to the next November session of this Legislature;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of an address for the removal of certain officers therein named."

The following further message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of the following resolution, and bills with the following titles, to wit:

A resolution relating to the distribution of the report of

the Board of Education;

'An act to repeal an act, entitled "An act to pay a bounty

for killing crows;",

'An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske for the benefit of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane;'

'An act relating to the police of towns.'

The Senate have postponed to the next November session of the Legislature a bill, entitled 'An act in amendment of an act incorporating the Merrimack County Mutual Fire Insurance Company.'"

The following further message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to wait upon the Warden and Commissary General elect and inform them of their election, and if they accept of said offices to receive of them the customary bonds, and have on their part joined Mr. Hoitt."

The following further message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have passed a resolution appointing a keeper of the State House and State House Yard for the ensuing political year, in which they ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives."

The House proceeded to the consideration of the follow-

ing resolution from the Senate:

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That Joel Frazier be appointed keeper of the State House and State House Yard for the ensuing political year;

Which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be in order to be read a second time

this forenoon at eleven o'clock.

Mr. Bartlett, from the select committee who were appointed to take into consideration the communication from the city government of Philadelphia, by leave made the following report:

The select committee to whom was referred the communication of the authorities of the city of Philadelphia, have

directed me to report the following resolution.

ICHABOD BARTLETT, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That His Excellency the Governor, with the advice of Council, is hereby authorized and requested to appoint two delegates to a convention to assemble in Independence Hall on the 4th of July, 1852, in pursuance of the invitation of the authorities of the city of Philadelphia, and for the purposes therein named;

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the resolution which was reported from the committee;

Which was read a first time.

Mr. Bartlett moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second and third time at the present time.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion? It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

The resolution was then read a second and third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Wheeler of Newport introduced the following resolu-

tion:

Resolved, That a committee be appointed to investigate the affairs of the Concord and Claremont Railroad, with power to send for persons and papers, and to examine under oath the officers and agents of said company, as to the manner of obtaining subscription stock—the construction of said road, the indebtedness of the company, and what portion of said indebtedness was incurred by engines and cars for another railroad—the price obtained for and the manner of disposing of the bonds of the company—the amount of assessments collected from stockholders on each share beyond the sum limited in the original-charter, and the means resorted to to induce the payment of said additional assessmentsthe number of suits now existing against stockholders for the debts of the corporation, and the means used by any officer or agent of the company to induce creditors to bring said suits, and that said committee report at the November session of the Legislature.

Mr. Baxter of Bradford moved that the resolution be laid

upon the table.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to lay the resolution upon the table.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

Resolved, That the resolution be referred to the committee on Railroads.

Mr. Eastman, by leave, presented the account of Horace Langley.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims. Mr. Harriman, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, by

leave, made the following report:

The joint committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined and find to be correctly engrossed bills with the following titles, to wit:

"An act in addition to an act passed July 3, 1845, entitled

'An act to authorize contiguous school districts to associate together to establish and maintain high schools;""

"An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act for the further

protection of personal liberty,' passed July 10, 1846;"

"An act relating to the police of towns;"

Which was accepted.

Said bills were then severally signed by the Speaker. Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

On motion of Mr. Glidden-

The House resumed the consideration of the petition of Mr. Littlefield and others, praying that a committee may be appointed to investigate the affairs of the Cochecho Bank, and the resolution introduced by J. H. Wiggins, relating to the same subject.

The question pending was,

Will the House agree to amend the resolution by striking out the words "a committee of three," and insert "the Bank Commissioners" instead thereof?

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to agree to the amendment.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan moved to amend the resolution by striking out all after the word "Resolved," and insert the

following instead thereof:

"That His Excellency the Governor be requested to cause one of the Bank Commissioners forthwith to examine the charges made against the Cochecho Bank, and report to His Excellency the Governor as soon as may be."

On the question, Will the House agree to the motion? It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was agreed to.

TEN O'CLOCK IN THE FORENOON.

On motion of Mr. Preston-

The House resumed the consideration of the special order of the day upon the bill, entitled "An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops."

Mr. Barker of Westmoreland moved that the bill be put upon its second reading for the purpose of amendment.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the negative.

So the House refused to put the bill upon its second reading.

On the question,

Shall the bill be read a third time? It was decided in the affirmative.

The bill was then read a third time.

On the question, Shall the bill pass?

Mr. Fox of Stoddard demanded the yeas and nays; Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs .-

Noyes of Atkinson,
Fox of Auburn,
Morrill of Brentwood,
Dudley,
French of Danville,
Cilley,

Whittier of Deerfield, Brown, Chase of Derry, Jewell,

Patten, Plumer, Flagg, Head,

Perry of Exeter,

Haley, Holmes, Ward, Healey,

Hanson of Kingston,

Hurd, Leach, Vennard, Frink, Garland,

Sargent of Newton,

Freese, Tuttle,

Morrill of Brentwood, Walker of Portsmouth,

Cheever,

Dearborn of Portsmouth,

Moses,
Brown,
Jewell,
Kennard,

Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windham, Morrill of Dover,

W. B. Wiggin, Horne,

Davis of Lee,
Huckins,
Osgood,
Cole,
Shorey,

Pike of Rollinsford,

Roberts,
Woodman,
Tilton,
Sleeper,

Tebbetts, Pitman, Smith of New Hampton, Barron, Weeks of Chatham. Smith of Freedom, Emery, Wentworth, Quarles. Page, Quimby of Sandwich. Wilkinson, Mason, aven based to Piper, Tennant, Gerrish, Burbank, Baxter, Whidden, Hook, Much White, Seavey, Gale, Chandler, Eastman of Concord, Parker of Concord, Pike of Franklin. Straw, Pillsbury, Harper of Loudon, Everett, Dearborn of Northfield, Cochran, Quimby of Salisbury, Harriman, Morrison of Bedford, Gould of Brookline. Tewksbury, Blaisdell of Goffstown, Adams of Manchester.

Abbott of Manchester. Grey of Manchester, Corliss. Hartshorn, Clough, Hoyt, Bennett of Manchester. Leavitt, Calif. Smith of Mason. Gove of Milford, Daniels, Smith of Mont Vernon, Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua, Dodge. Spalding, Pearson, Bullard, Atwood of Nashville, Preston, Eaton of New Ipswich, Miller. Cutter, Sawyer, Gove of Weare, Lane, Harris of Dublin. Adams of Fitzwilliam. May, Haile, Fox of Jaffrey, Chamberlain, Hutchins, Whitney of Marlborough. Huntley, Harris of Nelson, Randall of Richmond, Perry of Rindge, Clark of Roxbury, Norton, Holt,

Turner of Winchester, Humphrey, Putnam, Young, Long, Wood, Hall, Elwell, Wheeler, Metcalf, Tucker, Jones, Gilmore, Carbee, Hanaford,

Ingalls, Smith of Enfield,

Huse, Thompson, Kimball,

Morse, Hersey, Cox, Worthen, Ela, Cragin,

Parker of Lisbon,

Hodgman, Goss. Barney, Rogers,

Gould of Piermont,

Doton.

Pomroy, Grey of Woodstock,

Hazeltine, Cossitt, Amy, Scates,

Marshall of Stratford.

Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs .-

Lamprey, Noyes of Plaistow, Webster, Bartlett of Portsmouth, Hackett, Langdon, Whittier of Raymond, Bayley, Butler, Dow of Seabrook, Folsom, Moody of Dover, J. H. Wiggins, Hanson of Dover, Wiggin of Durham, Walker of Farmington, French of Middleton, Berry,

Brock,

Richardson, Jenkins, Moulton, Mooney, Pease, Holland, Weeks of Sanbornton, Connor, Parrish, Lyford, Chase of Conway, Atkinson, Meloon, Garvin, Bickford. Rust, Graves, Stark,

Locke,

Marshall of Hooksett, Stanley, Knowlton. Holt, Carr. Clark of Pittsfield, Drake. Dresser, Eaton of Warner, Langley, McKean, Parsons, Dow of Deering, Abbott of Greenfield, Grev of Hancock, Hatch, Fuller, Marshall of Hollis, Warren. Chase of Litchfield, Russell. Flanders, Eavrs, Gregg, Atwood of Pelham, Whiting, Perkins, Morrison of Alstead, Carleton, Partridge, Faulkner, Fox of Stoddard, Taft. Bennett of Swanzey, Armstrong, Fisher. Barker of Westmoreland, Silsby, Cushing, Marston. Smith of Grantham, Parker of Lempster, Gilkey. Moran, Glidden, Whitcher, Southmayd, Weeks of Canaan, Eastman of Danbury, Blaisdell of Dorchester, Randall of Ellsworth, Priest. Davis of Grafton, Heath, Eaton of Hanover, Pike of Hanover, Moody of Landaff, Hadley, Barnard, Stilphen, Ellingwood, Lumbard, Whipple, Rix, Harper of Errol, Jackson, Fletcher. Gove of Whitefield.

Yeas 172, nays 105.

So the bill passed.

Resolved, That the title of the bill be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan—

Resolved, That B. H. Plaisted, a member of this House, be excused from any further attendance this session, on account of sickness in his family.

Mr. Flanders of Manchester, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act to incor-

porate the Manchester Aqueduct;"

Which was read a first and second time.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Incor-

porations.

Mr. Rix, agreeably to previous notice and by leave, introduced a bill, entitled "An act making appropriations for the militia of this State for the year one thousand eight hundred and fifty-two;"

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.
On motion of Mr. Wheeler—

Resolved, That all matters referred to the several committees to-day or to-morrow shall be delivered to the several committees at the commencement of the adjourned session.

Mr. Cragin introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the committee on Banks be instructed to examine and inquire into the system of free banking, as practiced in the State of New York and other States, and report to this House at its adjourned session in November whether it be expedient to pass a bill authorizing free banking in this State on similar principles.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the negative. So the resolution was rejected.

On motion of Mr. Clark of Pittsfield-

The House resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act in addition to an act to incorporate David Drake and his associates into a religious society by the name

of the First Freewill Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield and its vicinity."

On motion of Mr. Clark of Pittsfield-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that the title of the bill be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Knowlton of Hopkinton, by leave, introduced a joint resolution relating to the pay of the Chaplain of the House;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. Knowlton-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of a bill with the following title, to wit:

'An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills,' with an amendment, in which they ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives."

The House proceeded to the consideration of the amendment which came down from the Senate to the bill, entitled

"An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills."

The Senate proposed to amend the bill by adding at the close of the 5th section thereof the words following: "and the corporation thereby created shall be subject to all the provisions of the general laws of this State relative to corporations."

On the question,

Will the House concur with the Senate in their amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House concurred with the Senate in their amendment.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The following further message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—'The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of the following resolutions, and bills with the following titles, to wit:

'An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank;'

A resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow a

certain sum of money;

A resolution to authorize His Excellency the Governor to appoint delegates to a convention to assemble in Independence Hall on the 4th of July, 1852;

A resolution in favor of T. J. Whipple;

A resolution in relation to gun-houses and gun-house lands; A resolution in favor of the Chaplain and library of the State Prison;

'An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;'

'An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct.'
A resolution in favor of indigent insane persons;

A resolution for printing the reports of the officers of the Asylum for the Insane;

A resolution in favor of Allen Smith;

'An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;'

'An act to authorize the printing of the annual reports of

the New Hampshire State Agricultural Society;'

'An act in amendment of an act to establish the Milford Cotton and Woolen Manufacturing Corporation;'

A resolution to revise and codify the laws of this State."

Mr. Spalding introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That the inventories for the years 1851 and 1852, and the abstracts thereof, required to be laid before the House by the Secretary of State, agreeably to the act of

June 28, 1843, be referred to a committee of twenty, two from each county, with instructions that the committee, during the recess of the Legislature, compare said abstracts with the inventories, correct any errors, supply any deficiencies, and report at the adjourned session the footings, or amounts of the inventories of the several counties.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the resolution?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the resolution was agreed to. On motion of Mr. Spalding-

The House resumed the consideration of the resolution introduced by Mr. Marshall of Hooksett, relating to the same subject.

On motion of Mr. Spalding—

Resolved, That the further consideration of the subject be indefinitely postponed.

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved. That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bills and resolutions which were in order to be read a second time at eleven o'clock this forenoon, be in order to be read a second time at the present time by their titles.

The House proceeded under the suspension of the rules to the second reading of bills of the following titles and the following resolutions:

"An act to alter the names of certain persons;"

"An act to amend the charter of the Wilton Railroad;"

"An act in amendment of chapter one thousand ninetyfive of the laws of this State;"

"An act in addition to an act, entitled 'An act to provide a mode of adjustment of the terms of connection between railroads,' approved July 5, 1851;"

"An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improve-

ment Company;"

A resolution in favor of the town of Lincoln;

A resolution in favor of indigent deaf and dumb persons;

A resolution in favor of Edson Hill and another;

A resolution in favor of William Fisk:

A resolution in favor of David Watson and others;

A resolution in favor of Daniel A. Hill;

A resolution in favor of William L. Foster and another;

A resolution relating to the distribution of the report of the Board of Education;

A resolution relating to the State Prison;
A resolution in favor of Pinkham's Grant;

A resolution to provide for the contingent expenses of the State:

Which were severally read a second time.

Ordered, That they be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Marshall of Stratford-

The House resumed the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act in amendment of the 4th section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes."

Ordered, 'That it be read a third time this afternoon at three o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Glidden-

The House adjourned.

AFTERNOON.

Mr. Parker of Lisbon moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the committee on Claims have leave at this time to make sundry reports.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Dow, from the committee on Claims, to whom was referred the claim of T. J. Whipple for the journal of the House for the June session of 1851, reported a joint resolution in favor of said claim;

Which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second and third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second and third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Carr, from the committee on Claims, to whom were referred the claims of Ira R. Philbrick, David Harris and E. Q. Fellows, reported a joint resolution in favor of said claims;

Which was read a first time.
On motion of Mr. Bartlett—

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second and third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second and third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Parker, from the same committee, made the follow-

ing report:

The committee on Claims, to whom were referred the petition of Dudley & Corning and the account of B. W. Sanborn, have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

LEVI PARKER, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said petition and account be postponed to the November session of this Legislature;

Which was accepted and the resolution was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the House resume the consideration of the joint resolution from the Senate to appoint a keeper of the State House and State House Yard.

So the House resumed the consideration of the resolution.

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second and third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second and third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

On motion of Mr. Thompson of Haverhill-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to introduce a joint

resolution in favor of the claims of McFarland & Jenks and the claim of Butterfield & Hill.

Mr. Thompson then introduced a joint resolution in favor

of said claims;

Which was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Thompson of Haverhill-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second and third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second and third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Parker of Lisbon-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the committee on Claims have leave at the present time to make sundry reports.

Mr. Carr, from the committee on Claims, then made the

following report:

The committee on Claims find it very difficult in coming to satisfactory conclusions in regard to the accounts presented against the State for stationery, furniture, and other articles purchased for the use of the several departments of the State House, and would recommend that the Secretary and Treasurer of State be authorized to make all purchases that may hereafter be necessary, and no other person, unless directed by them. The committee therefore have instructed me to report the accompanying resolution.

JESSE CARR, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the Secretary and State Treasurer be hereby authorized to make all the purchases of stationery and furniture that may be hereafter necessary for the use of the several departments of the State House.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the joint resolution which was reported from the committee on Claims.

The resolution was read a first time.

On motion of Mr. Carleton-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second and third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second and third time. Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Parker, by leave, under the suspension of the rules, presented the claim of William P. Hill.

Ordered, That it be referred to the committee on Claims.

Mr. Moses of Portsmouth, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, by leave made the following report:

The committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined and find correctly engrossed the following bills and resolutions, to wit:

"An act concerning the fund left by Catharine Fiske, for the benefit of the N. H. Asylum for the Insane;"

"An act to repeal an act, entitled 'An act to pay a bounty for killing crows;"

"An address in favor of the removal of certain officers therein named."

A resolution authorizing the State Treasurer to borrow a certain sum of money:

A resolution relating to the distribution of the School Commissioners' report.

S. W. MOSES, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Said bills and resolutions were then severally signed by the Speaker.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. J. H. Wiggin moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to introduce a joint resolution.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. J. H. Wiggin then introduced the following resolu-

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the State Librarian be directed to furnish to each of the commissioners appointed to codify and arrange the statute laws of this State, one copy of all such statutes as are or may be in force, and such other

books belonging to the State Library as may be deemed useful in said codification, said commissioners being held responsible as in other cases to account for and return said books at the expiration of said commissions;

Which was read a first and second time.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggin—

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bills and resolutions which were in order to be read a third time at three o'clock this afternoon, be in order to be read a third time at the present time.

The House proceeded, under the suspension of their rules, to the third reading of the bill, entitled "An act to alter the

names of certain persons."

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

The House proceeded, under the suspension of their rules,

to the consideration of bills of the following titles:

"An act to amend the charter of the Wilton Railroad;"
"An act in amendment of chapter one thousand ninetyfive of the laws of this State;"

"An act in addition to an act, entitled 'An act to provide a mode of adjustment of the terms of connection between railroads,' approved July 5, 1851;"

Which were severally read a third time.

Resolved, That they pass and that the titles of the bills be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

The House proceeded under the suspension of their rules

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to the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company."

Mr. Pike of Franklin moved that the bill be put upon its

second reading for the purpose of amendment.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion? It was decided in the affirmative.

So the bill was put upon its second reading.

Mr. Pike of Franklin moved to amend the bill by adding at the close of section 4 the words following: "Provided that all short logs put into the river below Errol Falls shall be free of toll; the other lumber subject to the tolls as specified."

On the question,

Will the House agree to the amendment?

It was decided in the affirmative. So the amendment was agreed to.

Mr. Pike moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a third time at the present time by its title.

On the question,

Will the House agree to the motion?

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the House suspended their rules.

The bill was then thus read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that the title of the bill be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and

request their concurrence therein.

The House proceeded under the suspension of their rules to the consideration of the bill, entitled "An act in addition to the fourth section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;"

Which was read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that the title of the bill be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

Mr. Hersey, from the committee on the Library, to whom was referred the joint resolution from the Senate to repeal the resolution to authorize and provide for the exchange of

legislative documents, approved January 4, 1849, reported the same without amendment;

Which report was accepted.

On the question,

Shall the joint resolution reported from the committee on

the Library be read a third time?

Mr. Cushing moved that the further consideration of the report and resolution be postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

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Will the House agree to the motion? and or because but

It was decided in the affirmative.

So the report and resolution were postponed to the next session of the Legislature.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The Speaker announced Mr. Carleton of Chesterfield and Mr. Young of Claremont as the committee on the part of the House to select and purchase books for the State Library, agreeably to the provisions of chapter 6, section 7.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

The Speaker announced Messrs. Sargent of Wentworth, Weeks of Canaan and J. H. Wiggins of Dover to be the committee to investigate the affairs and management of the New Hampshire Central Railroad, and report thereon at the adjourned session of the Legislature.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate have passed a joint resolution relating to the bill, entitled 'An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops,' in which they ask the concurrence of the House of Representatives."

The House proceeded to the consideration of the fol-

lowing joint resolution from the Senate:

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the selectmen of the several towns and places in this State are directed to insert an article in their warrant for calling the next town meeting for the choice of electors of President and Vice President of the

United States, to take the sense of the qualified voters upon the following question: "Is it expedient for the Legislature to enact into a law the bill, (published by order of the House of Representatives in the newspapers publishing by authority the laws of the State,) entitled 'An act for the suppression of drinking houses and tippling shops?"—that the vote be taken by ballot, and that the polls be opened and closed for that purpose at the same time they are for receiving votes for electors, and that the vote for and against the expediency of such a law shall be counted, declared, certified and returned to the Secretary's office, in the same way and manner and at the same time as the votes for electors, and that the Secretary of State seasonably furnish suitable blanks for such returns to the clerks of the several towns and places in the State;

Which was read a first and second time.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a third time at the present time.

On this question,

Mr. Weeks of Canaan demanded the yeas and nays; Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs.-

Noyes of Atkinson, Fox of Auburn, Morrill of East Kingston, Sargent of Newton, Lamprey, Freese, Tuttle, Noves of Plaistow, Webster, Langdon, Whittier of Raymond, Brown, Bayley, Butler, Dow of Seabrook, Jewell, Davis of Lee,

French of Middleton, Berry, Brock, Richardson, Woodman. Moulton, Mooney, Tebbetts, Pitman, Pease, Holland, Weeks of Sanbornton, Barron, Lyford, Chase of Conway, Atkinson, Meloon,

Smith of Freedom,

Garvin, Bickford,

Rust, Tennant,

Graves, Stark,

Baxter, Locke,

Marshall of Hooksett,

Stanley, Knowlton, Holt,

Carr, Dearborn of Northfield,

Cochran, Clark of Pittsfield,

Drake,

Quimby of Salisbury,

Dresser,

Eaton of Warner,

Harriman, Langley, McKean, Moore,

Dow of Deering, Abbott of Greenfield, Gray of Hancock,

Hatch,

Fuller, Marshall of Hollis,

Warren,

Chase of Litchfield,

Russell, Eayrs, Gregg,

Atwood of Pelham,

Cutter, Sawyer, Whiting,

Morrison of Alstead,

Carleton,

Partridge,

May, Fox of Stoddard,

Taft,

Bennett of Swanzey,

Armstrong, Fisher,

Barker of Westmoreland,

Silsby, Marston,

Smith of Grantham, Parker of Lempster,

Wheeler, Metcalf, Gilkey, Moran, Tucker, Glidden, Gilmore, Whitcher,

Turner of Bethlehem,

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Weeks of Canaan, Eastman of Danbury, Blaisdell of Dorchester, Randall of Ellsworth,

Priest,

Davis of Grafton,

Heath,

Eaton of Hanover, Pike of Hanover,

Worthen,

Moody of Landaff, Parker of Lisbon,

Doton, Hadley, Barnard, Pomroy,

Grey of Woodstock,

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Those who voted in the negative, were Messrs .-

French of Danville, Wentworth, Cilley, Whittier of Deerfield, Flagg, Perry of Exeter, Haley, Ward, Healey, Hanson of Kingston, Hurd, Leach, Walker of Portsmouth, Bartlett of Portsmouth, Ray, Hackett, Dearborn of Portsmouth, Moses, Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windham, Gould of Brookline, Folsom, Morrill of Dover, J. H. Wiggins, Wiggin of Durham, Cole, Shorey, Pike of Rollinsford, Tilton, Sleeper, Merrill,

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Gove of Milford, Turner of Winchester, Cushing, Daniels. Whitney of Nashua, Putnam, Putnam, Dodge, Young, Spalding, Long, Pearson, Wood, Young, Hall, Bullard, Atwood of Nashville, Elwell, Eaton of New Ipswich, Jones, Carbee, Miller. Gove of Weare, Ingalls, on the land Harris of Dublin, Smith of Enfield, Haile, Huse, Fox of Jaffrey, Thompson, Thompson, Chamberlain, Contain Kimball, Chamberlain, Chamberlain, Contain Chamberlain, Chambe Hutchins, Morse, Faulkner, Ela, Whitney of Marlborough, Cragin, Huntley, Hodgman, Hodgman, Harris of Nelson, Goss, Randall of Richmond, Barney, Perry of Rindge, Rogers, and Molecular Workship W. Norton, Gould of Piermont. Holt,

Yeas 126, nays 117.

So the House refused to suspend their rules.

Mr. Chamberlain moved that the further consideration of the resolution be indefinitely postponed.

On this question,

Mr. Knowlton demanded the yeas and nays;

Which were called.

Those who voted in the affirmative, were Messrs.-

Morrill of Brentwood, Patten,
Dudley, Plumer,
French of Danville, Flagg,
Cilley, Perry of Exeter,

Whittier of Deerfield, Haley, Chase of Derry, Holmes, Ward. Healey, Hanson of Kingston, Hurd, Leach, Vennard. Garland, Walker of Portsmouth. Cheever, Hackett. Dearborn of Portsmouth, Moses. Kennard, Barker of Stratham, Morrison of Windham, Folsom. Moody of Dover, Morrill of Dover, J. H. Wiggins, W. B. Wiggin, Hanson of Dover, Wiggin of Durham, Huckins, Osgood, Cole, Shorey, Pike of Rollinsford, Sleeper, Smith of New Hampton, Weeks of Chatham, Emery, Wentworth, Quarles, Page, Quimby of Sandwich, Wilkinson, Mason, Tennant, Gerrish. Burbank, Baxter,

Whidden,

Hook, White, Seavey. Gale. Chandler, Eastman of Concord, Parker of Concord, Ray, Pike of Franklin, Straw, Pillsbury, Harper of Loudon, Everett. Harriman, Gould of Brookline, Collins. Tewksbury, Blaisdell of Goffstown, Adams of Manchester, Abbott of Manchester, Grey of Manchester, Corliss, Hartshorn. Clough, Flanders, Hoyt, Bennett of Manchester, Leavitt. Calif. Smith of Mason, Gove of Milford, Daniels, Baldwin, Whitney of Nashua, Dodge. Spalding, Pearson, Bullard, Atwood of Nashville, Preston, Eaton of New Ipswich, Miller,

Gove of Weare, Harris of Dublin, Haile, Fox of Jaffrey, Chamberlain, Hutchins, Faulkner, Whitney of Marlborough, Huntley, Harris of Nelson, Randall of Richmond, Perry of Rindge, Clark of Roxbury, Norton, Holt,

Turner of Winchester, Humphrey, Cushing, Putnam, Young,

Long, Wood, Hall, Elwell, Jones. Carbee, Ingalls.

Smith of Enfield, Huse. Thompson, Kimball, Morse,

Cox. Ela, Cragin, Hodgman, Goss, Barney, Rogers,

Gould of Piermont.

Davis of Lee,

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Bickford. Rust,

Graves, Stark.

Locke. Marshall of Hooksett,

Stanley, Knowlton. Holt. Carr.

Dearborn of Northfield, Gilkey,

Cochran.

Clark of Pittsfield, Tucker,

Drake. Dresser,

Eaton of Warner, Whitcher,

Langley, Moore. Parsons,

Fuller,

Marshall of Hollis, Heath,

Warren.

Chase of Litchfield,

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Eaton of Hanover, Pike of Hanover,

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Yeas 136, nays 131.

So the resolution from the Senate was indefinitely postponed.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

On motion of Mr. Moses-

Resolved, That the House are now ready to meet the Senate in convention for the purpose of hearing the report of the joint committee who were appointed to wait upon the Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept the same to receive of them the customary bonds.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and request their concurrence therein. My odd at saviluation me all organate the Androscoggin-River Improvement Com-

IN CONVENTION.

Both branches of the Legislature being assembled in the Representatives' Hall, for the purpose of receiving and considering the report of the joint committee who were appointed to wait on the Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General elect and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept the same to receive of them the customary bonds-

Mr. Hoitt of the Senate, from the joint select committee,

made the following report:

The joint select committee appointed to wait on the Warden of the State Prison and Commissary General elect and inform them of their election to their respective offices, and if they accept to receive of them the bonds required by law, and lay the same before the convention of the two houses, have instructed me to report that they have attended to the duty assigned them, and those gentlemen have signified their

acceptance of the respective offices to which they have been elected, and furnished satisfactory bonds, which are herewith respectfully submitted.

ALFRED HOITT, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins of Dover-

Resolved, That the bonds of the Warden and of the Commissary General be deposited with the Secretary of State.

On motion of Mr. Weeks of Canaan, of the House— The convention arose and the Senate withdrew.

IN HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of the bill, entitled 'An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improvement Company.'"

The following further message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Reprepresentatives in the passage of the following resolutions and bills with the following titles, to wit:

A resolution to provide for an examination of the charges

made against the Cochecho Bank;

A resolution in favor of I. R. Philbrick and others;

A resolution in favor of McFarland & Jenks and others; A resolution providing for the compensation of the Chaplain of the House;

A resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

A resolution to provide for the contingent expenses of the State;

A resolution relating to the State Prison;

A resolution relating to the distribution of the report of the Board of Education; A resolution in favor of Daniel A. Hill;

A resolution in favor of Wm. L. Foster and another;

A resolution in favor of David Watson and another;

A resolution in favor of Edson Hill and another;

A resolution in favor of William Fisk;

A resolution relating to the codification of the statute laws of this State;

A resolution in favor of Horace Langley;

A resolution in favor of indigent deaf and dumb persons; 'An act in addition to the fourth section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;'

'An act to alter the names of certain persons;'

'An act in amendment of chapter 1095 of the laws of this State;'

'An act making appropriations for the militia;"

'An act in addition to an act incorporating the First Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield.'"

On motion of Mr. Barker of Westmoreland— Resolved, That when the House adjourn they adjourn to meet this evening at half past seven o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Dodge-

The House adjourned.

HALF PAST SEVEN O'CLOCK.

Mr. Metcalf, from the committee on the Judiciary, to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act in addition to and in amendment of an act relating to houses of correction," by leave, reported the same in a new draft;

Which was read a first time. On motion of Mr. Metcalf—

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the bill be read a second time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then read a second time by its title.

On motion of Mr. Metcalf-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspend-

ed that the bill be read a third time at the present time by its title.

The bill was then thus read a third time.

Resolved, That it pass and that its title be as aforesaid.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

On motion of Mr. Parker of Lisbon-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that he have leave at the present time to make a report.

Mr. Parker of Lisbon, from the committee on Claims,

made the following report:

The committee on Claims, to whom was referred the account of W. P. Hill, having had the same under consideration, have instructed me to report the following joint resolution.

LEVI PARKER, for the committee.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That the sum of forty-five dollars and twenty cents be paid to W. P. Hill, in full of his account, out of any money in the treasury not otherwise appropriated;

Which was accepted.

The House proceeded to the consideration of the resolution, which was reported from the committee on Claims;

Which was read a first time. On motion of Mr. Parker—

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the resolution be read a second and third time at the present time.

The resolution was then read a second and third time.

Resolved, That it pass.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof, and request their concurrence therein.

[Mr. Chase of Conway in the chair.]

Mr. Weeks of Canaan moved that the rules of the House be so far suspended that the select committee to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act dividing the State into three Congressional Districts," have leave at the present time to make a report.

On the question,
Will the House agree to the motion?
It was decided in the affirmative.
So the House suspended their rules.

Mr. Weeks of Canaan then made the following report:
The select committee to whom was referred the bill, entitled "An act dividing the State into three Congressional

Districts," have considered the same, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

WM. P. WEEKS, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bill be postponed to the adjourned session of this Legislature;

Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

On motion of Mr. Hackett-

The House resumed the consideration of the report of the Insurance Commissioners.

On motion of Mr. Hackett—

Resolved, That the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

The House resumed the consideration of the report of the committee on the Judiciary upon the bill, entitled "An act relating to foreign attachments on the trustee process."

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggins-

Resolved, That the further consideration of the bill, with the amendments which were reported from the committee on the Judiciary, be postponed to the next session of this Legislature, and that the Clerk be directed to procure the usual number of printed copies thereof for the use of the House.

On motion of Mr. Atwood of Peleam-

Resolved, That the House do now take a recess of fifteen minutes.

TEN O'CLOCK.

On motion of Mr. Wheeler of Newport-

Resolved, That the rules of the House be so far suspended that the committee on Incorporations have leave to report.

Mr. Wheeler, from the committee on Incorporations, then

made the following report:

The committee on Incorporations, to whom were referred bills of the following titles, viz: "An act in addition to an act, entitled 'An act to establish the city of Concord;" "An act in addition to an act to incorporate the Cheshire County Mutual Fire Insurance Company;" "An act in amendment of an act incorporating the New England Mutual Fire Insurance Company;" "An act to establish the Campton Library Association, in the town of Campton," have had the same under consideration, and have instructed me to report the following resolution.

EDMUND WHEELER, for the committee.

Resolved, That the further consideration of said bills be postponed to the next session of this Legislature;
Which was accepted, and the resolution was agreed to.

[The Speaker in the chair.]

On motion of Mr. Bartlett—
Resolved, That when the House adjourns, it adjourn to meet to-morrow morning at eight o'clock.

On motion of Mr. Chase of Conway—
The House adjourned.

SATURDAY, June 19, 1852.

Mr. Moses, from the committee on Engrossed Bills, by leave, made the following report:

The committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined, and find correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles, and sundry resolutions, to wit:

"An act to alter the names of certain persons;"

"An act making appropriations for the militia of this State for the year 1852;"

A resolution in favor of David Watson, B. Damon and

Horace Call;

A resolution in relation to the purchase of stationery and furniture for the use of the State;

A resolution in favor of the Chaplain of the House of

Representatives;

A resolution in favor of Horace Langley;

A resolution in favor of McFarland & Jenks and Butter-field & Hill;

A resolution authorizing the Adjutant General to sell gun houses, &c., no longer required for the use of the State;

A resolution appropriating \$2,400 for the indigent deaf and dumb;

A resolution in favor of William Fisk;

"An act to incorporate the Nashville Aqueduct;"

"An act to alter the time of holding the terms of the court of common pleas in the county of Grafton;"

A resolution in favor of Daniel A. Hill;

A resolution appropriating \$500 for contingent expenses of the State for the ensuing year;

A resolution in favor of I. R. Philbrick, David Harris and

E. Q. Fellows;

A resolution in favor of Edson Hill and J. Carter & Son:

A resolution providing for the distribution of the reports of the Board of Education;

A resolution in favor of the Chaplain of the State Prison, &c.:

A resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

A resolution in favor of William L. Foster and Morrill & Silsby;

A resolution in favor of W. P. Hill;

"An act in addition to the 4th section of chapter 142 of the Revised Statutes;"

A resolution relating to charges against the Cochecho

Bank;
A resolution authorizing the use of certain books from
the State Library to the commissioners for codifying the
laws:

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A resolution appropriating \$1800 for repairs of the State Prison.

S. W. MOSES, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Said bills and resolutions were then severally signed by the Speaker.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

Mr. Moses, from the same committee, by leave made the

following further report:

The joint committee on Engrossed Bills report that they have carefully examined and find correctly engrossed, bills with the following titles and the following resolutions:

"An act to incorporate the Amoskeag Savings Bank;"

"An act in addition to an act to incorporate David Drake and his associates into a religious society by the name of the First Freewill Anti Pedo Baptist Society in Pittsfield and its vicinity;"

"An act to incorporate the Franklin Mills;"

A joint resolution to revise and codify the laws of this State;

A joint resolution providing for the distribution of the reports of the Superintendent, Trustees, and Board of Visitors of the Insane Asylum;

A joint resolution in favor of James Ayers; A joint resolution in favor of Allen Smith;

"An act to incorporate the Underhill Edge Tool Company;"

"An act to incorporate the Androscoggin River Improve-

ment Company;"

"An act to authorize the printing the annual reports of the N. H. State Agricultural Society;"

"An act in amendment of chapter one thousand ninety-

five of the laws of this State;"

A joint resolution authorizing His Excellency the Governor to appoint delegates to the convention to be held at Independence Hall, in the city of Philadelphia, July 5, 1852;

A resolution in favor of the indigent insane; A resolution in favor of Thomas J. Whipple;

A resolution to appoint Joel Frazier keeper of the State House and State House Yard;

A resolution to appropriate three hundred dollars for a road through Pinkham's Grant.

S. W. MOSES, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

Said bills and resolutions were then severally signed by the Speaker.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the passage of the following resolutions, to wit:

A resolution in favor of William P. Hill;

A resolution relating to the purchase of stationery and furniture;

A resolution in favor of Pinkham's Grant."

Mr. Mason of Tamworth introduced the following resolution:

Resolved, That we recommend to the attention of the members of Congress from this State the plea of Copway, the Indian chief, in behalf of his people.

On motion of Mr. J. H. Wiggin-

Resolved, That the resolution be laid upon the table.

The Speaker announced the committee relating to the ap-

portionment of the public taxes as follows:

Messrs. Tuttle of Nottingham, Plumer of Epping, Walker of Farmington, Moody of Dover, Tibbetts of Gilmanton, Holland of Meredith, Chase of Conway, Garvin of Wakefield, Marshall of Hooksett, Eastman of Concord, Parsons of Bennington, Flanders of Manchester, Carleton of Chesterfield, Haile of Hinsdale, Wheeler of Newport, Hall of Croydon, Weeks of Canaan, Cragin of Lebanon, Lumbard of Colebrook and Cossitt of Lancaster.

On motion of Mr. Moses-

Resolved, That a committee of ten be appointed on the part of the House, with such as the Senate may join, to wait upon His Excellency the Governor and inform him that the business of the present session being brought to a close,

both branches of the Legislature are ready to be adjourned

to November 17th of the present year.

Ordered, That Messrs. Moses, Cole of Rochester, Conner, Mason of Tamworth, Tennant, Adams, Armstrong, Parker, Rogers, and Marshall of Stratford, be the committee on the part of the House.

Ordered, That the Clerk inform the Senate thereof and

request their concurrence therein.

The following message was received from the Senate by their Clerk:

"Mr. Speaker—The Senate concur with the House of Representatives in the appointment of a committee to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him that the business of the present session being brought to a close, the two branches are ready to be adjourned to the 17th day of November next, and have on their part joined Messrs. Shannon and Freeman."

Mr. Moses, from the select committee appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor, by leave made the follow-

ing report:

The committee appointed to wait on His Excellency the Governor and inform him that the business of the present session being brought to a close, both branches of the Legislature are ready to be adjourned, would report that they have attended to the duty assigned them.

S. W. MOSES, for the committee.

Which was accepted.

The following message was received from His Excellency the Governor by the Secretary of State:

" To the Hon. Senate and House of Representatives:

I having signed all the bills, resolutions and addresses which you have passed and presented for my approval the present session of the Legislature, and having been notified by a committee of both branches of the Legislature that you

have brought the business of the session to a close, and are now ready to be adjourned to the 17th day of November next, I do therefore adjourn the Legislature to the said 17th day of November next.

NOAH MARTIN.

Council Chamber, June 19, 1852."

The Speaker then declared the House adjourned accordingly.

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APPENDIX.

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REPORTS

OF THE BOARD OF VISITORS, TRUSTEES, BUILDING COMMITTEE, AND OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF THE N. H.
ASYLUM FOR THE INSANE, JUNE SESSION,
1852.

REPORT OF THE BOARD OF VISITORS.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

The undersigned, Visitors of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane, respectfully report that we have visited the Asylum and made such an examination of its various departments, patients and regulations, as to satisfy us unanimously that the design of the Institution is being fulfilled in as eminent a degree as could have been reasonably anticipated by its warmest friends.

The aspect of every thing, in doors and out, shows taste, system and care; while the appearance of the inmates, their neatness of person and general quietude of manner, are sub-

stantial evidences of the skill and fidelity of those to whom the management has been confided.

NOAH MARTIN, Governor.

MOSES EATON, JR.,
JOS. H. SMITH,
S. BUTTERFIELD,
JAMES BATHCELLER,
RUSSELL COX,
JOHN S. WELLS, President of the Senate.
G. W. KITTREDGE, Speaker of the
House of Representatives.

OFFICERS OF THE INSTITUTION.

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Speaker of the House of Representatives.

BOARD OF TRUSTEES.

WILLIAM PLUMER, Epping, President; FRANKLIN PIERCE, Concord; CHARLES H. PEASLEE, Concord; WARREN LOVELL, Meredith; CHARLES BURROUGHS, Portsmouth; ISRAEL HUNT, Nashua;

JOS. B. WALKER, Concord, Secretary;
RALPH METCALF, Newport;
JOS. H. SMITH, Dover;
AMOS A. PARKER, Fitzwilliam;
ISAAC ROSS, Hanover;
DAVID PILLSBURY, Chester.

ANDREW McFARLAND, M. D., Superintendent. WM. B. STEVENS, M. D., Assistant Physician.

REPORT OF THE TRUSTEES.

To the Honorable the Senate and House of Representatives of the State of New Hampshire:

The Trustees of the New Hampshire Asylum for the Insane respectfully present this, their eleventh annual Report.

The history of the Institution for the past year shows its condition to have been uniformly prosperous. No serious casualty has occurred, and an unusual degree of success has attended the efforts made to relieve the suffering of those committed to its care. The number under treatment has been quite large, and during no previous year of its existence have so many been discharged and returned to their families wholly restored, as within the year last past.

The whole number of patients that have been admitted since its opening to the present time, is 923. The whole number that have been admitted during the past year is 107,

while the number now in the Institution is 118.

The Trustees have had frequent communication, through their committee, with the executors of the will of the late Abiel Chandler, Esq., of Walpole, who, it will be remembered, left to the Institution a considerable portion of his property, making them his residuary legatee. They are informed that the estate is being settled as fast as circumstan-

ces will admit. The amount already received by the Asylum is five thousand dollars, which has been disposed of in the manner stated by the Treasurer in his accompanying re-

port.

The resources of the Asylum farm, under the skilful culture it has received for the last few years, have been developed to such a degree as to render the barns and sheds heretofore provided for the storage of the crops altogether inadequate to the purpose for which they were designed, and an additional barn, 36 by 40 feet, with a cellar underneath the same, was erected the last autumn. This, it is thought, will for some time to come remedy the inconveniences experienced previous to its erection. A small addition has been made to the Cottage, the expense of which is compensated by the increased comfort and security now afforded to patients occupying that building. The want of bathing accommodations for the patients has ever heretofore been severely felt; but these have recently been supplied to six of the halls, so that the Asylum may be considered as pretty well furnished in this respect.

In closing their report, the Trustees would embrace the opportunity offered them of renewedly expressing to you their entire confidence in the integrity and eminent ability of the Superintendent of the Institution, to whose immedi-

ate charge its government and interests are entrusted.

WILLIAM PLUMER, FRANKLIN PIERCE, A. A. PARKER, JOS. H. SMITH, WARREN LOVELL, DAVID PILLSBURY, ISRAEL HUNT, ISAAC ROSS, JOSEPH B. WALKER, RALPH METCALF, CHARLES BURROUGHS,

REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT.

Gentlemen:—The approaching termination of the tenth year of the existence of this Institution, seems to afford a suitable point for a retrospection of its history, and some safe

ground for speculation as to its prospects.

When, twelve years since, the corner-stone of the edifice was laid-with pecuniary means far, very far short of what are now regarded as indispensable even to the commencement of such an undertaking-with a state of public sentiment by no means unanimous as to the expediency of the enterprise-and, with a wide and almost acrimonious diversity of opinion as to its location, the highest exercise of faith on the part of its founders would hardly have dared anticipate that the lapse of the intervening period would have seen in operation an institution of nearly double the extent of their design-with no remaining question of its absolute public necessity—with ten years of experience scarce ruffled by accident, and, by repeated endowments, placed in possession of means equal to almost any future exigency. It seldom falls to the lot of any public institution to pass the ordeal upon which we thus look back, unscathed by the voice of prejudice-unassailed amid the strife of party-untrammeled by connection with sects, and spared by that element, which, within a short period, has leveled, with distressing loss of life, three similar institutions to the earth.

The year just completed has been the most successful in its history. The average health of its resident inmates has been better—the number admitted and discharged has been greater—the number recovered unprecedently large—and the list of those who have died, although differing little from that of past years in point of numbers, is made up, almost entirely, of the aged, the paralytic, and the demented.

Table showing the state of the Asylum for the year ending May 31st, 1852.

No. of patients in the Asylum May 31st, 1851,

Males. Females. Total.

59 58 117

	Males.	Females.	Total
No. of patients admitted since May 31st, 1851,	53	54	107
No. of patients discharged since May 31st, 1851,	49	57	106
No. of patients in the Asylum during the year ending May 31st, 1852,	112	112	224
No. recovered and discharged during the year ending May 31st, 1852,	30	36	66
No. partially recovered, No. not improved,	5	6 11	13 16
No. died, Remaining under treatment, May 31st,	3	8	11
1852,	63	55	118

Alleged causes of insanity in those admitted.

Ill health,	8	"Spiritual rappings,"	2
Loss of children or friends,	6	Loss of property,	2
Hard work,	1	Old age,	2
Intemperance,	3	Palsy,	1
Disappointed affection,	4	Idiotic,	1
Religious,	3	Fright in infancy,	1.
Domestic trouble,	3	No cause assigned,	53
Injury of the head,	2	717	BROSS
Excessive use of tobacco,	2		107
Puerperal,	2		
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It is obvious that very many subjects which arise in connection with the observation and treatment of the insane in large bodies are capable of being tabularized with an appearance, on the surface, at least, of value. We have, in former reports, expressed a disbelief of the value of conclusions gathered from such quasi facts. As the non-appearance of voluminous tables in our reports has been somewhat animadverted on by those who naturally view them as important resources of future information, it is worth while, in brief, to give the reasons why facts are unattainable when sought in this manner.

We can best do this, by putting in form of inquiries those subjects which it would be desirable thus to set at rest.

1. What is the most frequent cause of insanity?

It would be the easiest thing imaginable to give the causes most commonly alleged by those who commit patients to our care; but it by no means follows that the causes given at such times are reliable. It accords with all experience, that the conversation or incoherent ravings of an insane person affords no key whatever to the cause which has broken down the connectedness of his ideas; neither are there other signs by which the most sagacious can trace the morbid chain to its first link.

Hard study, hard work, grief at the loss of friends, and causes generally which reflect no blemish on the character of the individual, would naturally be given, before those ranked in the category of vicious excesses. And even the narration of those remote circumstances is sometimes withheld, which, if frankly given, throw great light upon cases. The existence of hereditary predisposition, of natural eccentricity of character, of mental deficiency, &c., is often studiously concealed, from a regard for that kind of charity which is extended to the unfortunate. A correct result under this head is also obscured by a fallacy like the follow-

ing:

A person, previously of no strongly developed moral principles, becomes unaccountably fond of his bible; attends the most exciting religious meetings within his reach; is affected with an extreme concern for his future welfare, and finally falls into a religious frenzy, with the constant declaration upon his lips that he "has committed the unpardonable sin." Instead of ascribing the insanity, in this instance, to religious excitement, as is usually the case, it is far safer to consider his religious proclivity, as, of itself, the bias of a lapsing mind; the cause of whose disturbance lay far back of any religious inclinations. So untrustworthy are the usually given causes of insanity, and so frequently, as in the above instance, are effects mistaken for causes, that approximations even, are not attainable. Moreover, all who give a philosophic attention to the subject are brought to a belief, that, in a majority of cases, what are called exciting causes are worth little, in comparrison with those far anterior constitutional disturbances—sometimes acquired but more frequently inherited—which keep multitudes in all walks of

life hanging over an abyss into which they are precipitated

upon the slightest excitement.

The last condition can be measured by no rule, nor demonstrated by any reach of science; yet its full understanding is the only avenue of approach to the mystery which surrounds the subject of the causes of insanity.

2. What employments most conduce to the production of insanity?

To answer this question satisfactorily, would demand, as a precondition, a state of society such as never existed. Mankind would be required to be placed, according to the principles of communism, in distinct fraternities, each of which should not only be restricted to its own limits in the matter of trade and handicraft, but also in the exercise of all mental speculation. Under the present system of living, if the philosophic shoe-maker becomes insane, a reasonable doubt may arise whether he was made insane by searching for the Philosopher's stone, or by hammering too assiduously on the one which his calling places in his lap; -a question which would never obscure the conclusion, if shoemaking and philosophy could always be separated. seldon limit themselves sufficiently in their employments to afford us data. An individual may be in turn a school teacher. a trader, and an agriculturist ;-he is at the same time, a politician, a man of science, and a controversialist. It is obvious that each of these may have contributed something to the evil, but to neither of them could it be exclusively charged.

3. Does the married or single state in any way influence the development of insanity?

Before this question can be solved, it must be ordained that marriage shall be made universal, and that, too, at a certain fixed age; and also that the approach of insanity shall always be subsequently to the time allotted for entering on that relation. An unusual proportion of single people of mature age is found among the insane; which proves, if anything, that marriage is prevented by insanity, but by no means that insanity is in any way hastened or retarded by

marriage. The truth, so far as it concerns females especially, is probably the exact reverse of what would appear from the records of asylums for the insane.

4. Has the season of the year any influence in causing insanity?

By our records it appears that the maximum of admissions has been reached in May, and the minimum in February. The difference, however, between one month and another, during a period of nearly ten years, is hardly worth noticing, and is certainly not sufficiently apparent to be a basis for safe conclusions. The truth, as to the time when mental derangement began, as gathered from the friends of patients, has been equally elusive. Different individuals, in observing a given case, set its commencement at periods widely diverse, so much so as, in a majority of cases, to defeat inquiry. An individual is admitted, for instance, in December; one friend declares that he became insane in August, another thinks something strange was perceptible in the Spring, while a third is confident that the evil has been progressing for years. It is obvious, therefore, that such a case proves nothing in establishing the duration of the insanity; much less in fixing the precise month or season of its commence-

There are other subjects, which, by the curious, have been attempted to be reduced to statistical demonstration; such as the influence of temperament, stature and complexion, in producing insanity; the effect of lunar influences upon the insane, &c., which have either proved nothing, or have elicited information of no practical value.

These remarks upon the general inutility of tables, have been thought not out of place, as a natural belief exists that the continued observation of the insane in large bodies must lead to the possession of certain data, made infallible from

repeated confirmation.

There is, however, no fact, of the least consequence on the subject, which the curious in such matters may not gather from our records. On the admission of any patient, notes of the history of his case are taken with as much minuteness as the knowledge of those who accompany him can furnish. The substance of this information is then engrossed into the permanent records; and, when the patient is discharged, the apparent result is carefully registered. Added to this system, a diary of each case is kept, with a fulness

corresponding to the interest of the symptoms.

On the whole, the declaration may safely be made, that, of those admitted to this Institution, two-thirds will show, if the case be thoroughly investigated, some inherited predisposition to mental disease. In a great majority of this number, the exciting cause is either not discernable; or, when given by friends, found to be altogether a fanciful one; or, else, although it be a plausible one, it is too trifling to have disturbed the equipoise of reason in any well-balanced mind. Of the remaining third of cases, febrile affections, where the brain has suffered; the puerperal state; protracted anxiety or grief, and physical excesses, comprise the larger number; leaving a small margin for those unusual cases which are more frequently displayed on the page of fiction than in the sober domain of fact.

Current popular delusions usually leave the most enduring traces of their passage on the records of lunatic hospitals. The first page of entries on the folio records of the Asylum, commencing with the 29th of Oct., 1842, and terminating Feb. 25th, 1843, is a page of instructive history, that has no precedent or analogy. History records many instances of the insanity that has suddenly affected multitudes, but all have failed to leave so sad a history written as this volume will preserve of the "Miller Delusion," which was just reaching its acme as the doors of this Institution were opportunely thrown open to receive its infatuated victims. will be observed—perhaps with a smile—that "Spiritual Rappings," as the current instance in point, has furnished us its small quota. To the credit of our race be it spoken, however, that the multitude, thus "borne about by every wind of doctrine," is really not so great as at first sight appears. A certain small number in the community, by assuming, in the succession of a very few years, such a variety of strange and fantastic garbs of doctrine, may bear the appearance of a multitude; causing us to forget, in the facility with which a new disguise is put on, that the passing masquerade is really composed of but few individuals. The victims of the isms of the day are either of the class already

enumerated, in whom but a breath is necessary to submerge frail reason, or else of grade with him

"Who never had a dozen thoughts In all his life, and never changed their course."

Causes of death in those who have died the past year.

Palsy,	mas beteichbeimen ale 4
Exhaustion,	consequivilate distriction and 4
Epilepsy,	in to abrangades and and 1
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Inflamation of brain,	1
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In glancing over the above table, the gratifying reflection presents itself, that but a single suicide has occurred in the Asylum for a period of eight years. This must prove, if proof were necessary, that all vigilance is observed in watching the movements of those thus inclined, who are always with us in greater or less numbers. It has before been observed in our reports, that the propensity to self-destruction occasionally appears to assume an epidemic form. For the past year, a record has been kept of all within the State who have, during that period, put a termination to their own lives. We find ourselves in possession of the names of twenty-three individuals, with, generally, the circumstances attending the transaction.

Suicides in New Hampshire for the year ending May 31st, 1852.

By hanging,	tis	15
" cutting the throat,		3
" drowning,		2
" shooting,		1
Unknown,		2
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It is impossible to conjecture how many instances of this kind of tragedy have either not been made public, or have 26

not come to our knowledge. But it should be distinctly understood that a majority of the suicides which occur are in a different form, and never become, as such, matter of notoriety. Passive suicide, if I may be allowed the term, is most frequent of all; where the individual declines taking food, save in the smallest quantities, until a kind of fever is induced, which somewhat disguises the manner of death. If suicide is to be deplored as a social outrage, if the lives of the insane are morally as precious as any, it cannot be denied, that the safeguards of an asylum for the insane are fully demonstrated in our past immunity from this appalling calamity.

Does insanity of mind shorten the duration of human life?

There would be no hesitation in answering this question, theoretically, in the affirmative; yet its demonstration by statistics would be by no means easy. The proportion of deaths to the admissions, in this and most northern institutions, for an average of several years, is not far from ten per cent. Yet, when it is considered how frequently mental derangement is but a single symptom, among others, of bodily ill health, this somewhat large mortality will appear more properly chargeable to other causes than insanity alone.—Where mental aberration is attended with no impairment of the general physical functions, and where the individual can be kept from the effects of the deleterious influences which surround him, we doubt if the term of his existence is materially shortened.

There is no doubt that, since the almost universal establishment of asylums for the insane, the mortality among this class has been less. This Institution will not have accomplished its highest amount of usefulness until it can receive under its care the still very large number of long standing cases that are usually deemed not fit subjects, simply because they are supposed incurable. Certainly, of all classes of our fellow-beings, those bereft of the highest gift conferred on our species, do not stand second in their claims for sympathy. The sightless eye-balls of the blind, and the voiceless lips of the deaf and dumb, plead their cause with an eloquence not to be resisted; and even the iron grate and Spartan fare of the prisoner make us forget, in the gush of

sympathy, that they are the necessary penalties paid for violations of justice. The lunatic, however, has no place in which to record his plea, save on a page like this. He is never himself a suppliant. He holds at arm's-length all who would extend him sympathy, and snatches - frequently with a curse on the giver—the aid proffered him, as if Creation were his right and he was not dependent on his fellow for existence. He disguises the uncontrolled promptings of his crazed brain with such art that all he does appears the offshoot of cunning and malice. He shuts the gates of mercy on himself, and drinks only at the Marah which supplies the wilderness of his erratic life. The dramatist, whose pen of fire has shown him to us, old, banished—sent forth to "bide the pelting of the pitiless storm"—has not yet touched upon that mental nakedness whose every surface is raw and bleeding, and which at every turn is exposed to fresh inflictions. From these he should be shielded. The alarming frequency of suicide among the insane at large, proving how earnestly the sufferer throws off the weary load of life, would alone be proof that there is in his breast a consciousness that his case requires protection, care, sympathy. The operation of the very necessity itself forbids him to ask it; he voluntarily caps the climax of his wrongs by the act of self-destruction, and leaves his history, his long catalogue of sufferings, and the manner of his death, as witnesses that the march of humanity had not reached the theatre in which he was doomed to struggle.

It is in something plainer, however, than rhetorical figures that a truth so bald should be expressed. Occupying a position where facts in regard to the insane at large are easily gathered, a little inquiry has furnished us with some cases yet existing, which, if narrated with no syllable of addition,

would call forth a general cry of horror.

The report of the commission appointed in 1835 (we think) to ascertain the condition and wants of the insane in this State, brought to light a mass of facts, which were received with some incredulity, from the very enormities they exposed. We sincerely believe, from reliable reasons, that, were the same ground to be again explored, the relations would be equally startling. At the moment of writing this line, an individual, within a stone's throw of the grounds of

the Asylum, is chained in his own house among his family; and it is but a few days since the overseer of an almshouse, having charge of a number of these helpless human beings, who has gained some credit (with his employers, at least,) for his management, circumstantially related to us his success in bringing an insane woman up to her duty in the performance of some menial household labor, by the discipline of the lash, repeatedly laid on, without a thought occurring to him, in the recital, as to its strict propriety!

There is nothing strange, however, in this, shocking as it may appear to those fully alive to the claims of the unfortunate. It is the direct and inevitable consequence of committing the insane to the care of those not qualified by education and experience to distinguish the difference between the caprices of diseased fancy and the deliberate exercise of

evil passions.

The undersigned cannot conscientiously dismiss this subject without adverting to the remarks in his last annual report respecting the loose condition of the laws of the State relating to the insane. The rights of this class are most imperfectly protected, and hardly a year passes without the occurrence of some gross injustice flowing from those statutory deficiencies. The provision for some commission of inquest, in cases where crime has been committed, where insanity is suspected, would preserve intact those whom the enlightened sense of mankind has absolved from criminality. There is now confined in the State Prison a young female, whose crime—if an act attended by so many circumstances of extenuation could be deemed such—was committed while in a state of unconsciousness; who would have been saved the opprobrium of a criminal conviction and sentence, could the facts respecting her mental condition have been in a timely manner set forth to a jury.

Nothing has occurred to distinguish the experience of the past year in any especial manner from those preceding. In what manner the curative influences of such an institution are brought to bear on those committed to its charge—how the daily routine of duty is appointed and performed, and by what methods the tedium of confinement is alleviated, are subjects already exhausted in our previous reports. There is a point, in laying open the minutiæ of the daily experience of an asylum for the insane, beyond which a

proper delicacy to those entrusted to our care forbids us to

trespass.

The possession of enlarged means has enabled us to effect some improvements, and supply some standing deficiencies, to which we have several times previously alluded. The farm has been much improved, generally; a new barn, 36 by 40 feet, has been erected—much of the unreclaimed land brought under subjection—drains have been made, and a substantial embankment and culvert of masonry laid across the valley which divides the farm nearly in the centre. The buildings have been placed in complete repair, and, together with the picket fence, thoroughly painted. A vacant ward in the new wing has been converted into a chapel, and religious exercises regularly conducted every Sabbath. desk has been supplied, since the 1st of February, by Rev. Daniel Lancaster, Chaplain of the last Legislature. clerical labors, consisting of one religious service on the Sabbath, and occasional week-day visits, have, we think, done good. Previously there has been little to distinguish the Sabbath from other days of the week, to the majority of our patients, save the absence of labor and the consequent ennui arising from having nothing to do. We think that a decided addition has been made to the happiness and contentment of the patients, in the supply of this long neglected deficiency.

Cleanliness being emphatically "next to godliness," we have also placed in each gallery of two of the three wings of the building, an iron bathing tub, constantly supplied with hot and cold water. The furnishing of the necessary tanks, boilers, tubs and pipes has cost about \$600. This improve-

ment we find of infinite benefit.

The strong building, constructed in 1844-5, for the reception of the more violent and filthy, has been improved by an addition in front, to be occupied by the attendants hav-

ing charge of the patients.

The farm attached to the Institution, it is believed will be found, on inspection by the Board, in a satisfactory condition. It will yet be several years before it will be entirely reclaimed and its high capabilities developed. The following table shows the amount of some of the principal crops:

Table of farming products.

Hay,	44 tons.
Straw,	5 "
Corn fodder,	6 "
Corn,	375 bushels.
Oats,	242 "
Potatoes,	657 "
Carrots,	256 "
Beans,	DININE 7 10 11 101
Onions,	5 bbls.
Pork fattened and killed,	3500 lbs.

We enter upon the duties of another year with enlarged facilities for raising the standard of curative excellence—with increased experience, and, as we trust, with undiminished zeal. Surrounded by an efficient corps of co-laborers,* and, with the Institution much more fully prepared than formerly to discharge its peculiar functions, we anticipate future results more gratifying in a like degree.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW McFARLAND.

N. H. Asylum for the Insane, Concord, June 2, 1852.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

The Treasurer charges himself with the following receipts, viz:

^{*} The Superintendent would do an injustice to his feelings, if, in commendation of the living, he omitted a merited tribute to the worth of the dead. Miss Eliza Ann Bean of Concord died April 10th, aged 23, and Mr. Erastus Darwin Eastman of Grantham died on the 24th of the same month, at the age of 21. Rarely has it been the fortune of the Institution to be served by any who have filled their trust to higher satisfaction than these lamented individuals; who both exemplified, most happily, in their intercourse with the insane, the inestimable value of a consistent Christian character.

Appendix.

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From individuals, for the support of private pa-	\$7,503	10
tients, person so get	\$1,000	40
From towns and counties, for the support of pa-	1 7 10	OF
tients at public charge,	4,742	21
From the State Treasurer, of appropriation for	bunnach	00
the indigent insane, (in part for two years,)	1,890	92
Balance of cash on hand, as per last annual re-		
	381	57
Received of building committee,	94	16
Interest of Kimball fund, from the State Treas-		
	205	80
urer,		75
From articles sold,	a unicipati	ion:
From Finance committee, derived from avails	5,000	00
of Chandler fund,	0,000	00
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	\$19,833	01

The amount received for the board of patients, (\$14,136-59,) has been derived as follows:

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From Merrimack cou	ntv.	\$2,486 80
Hillsborough,	"	3,154 45
Rockingham,	66	2,658 16
Grafton	66	1,555 34
Strafford	46	791 21
Carroll	66	518 45
Cheshire	66	314 69
Sullivan	"	1,029 75
Belknap	66	256 19
Coos,	"	162 76
Other States,		1,238 79
80 000		\$14,136 59

The Treasurer credits himself with the following disbursements, viz:

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For salaries and wages,	\$1086.88	\$4785 43	\$5872 31
" meats of all kinds,	420 13	1322 59	1742 72
" breadstuffs,	677 92	795 26	1473 18

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L	or butter and cheese,	482 05	1365 32	1847 37
	vogetables,	132 94	251 20	384 14
"	nsu,	67 75	110 74	178 49
	sugar and molasses,	278 96	454 93	733 89
"	tea and conee,	154 61	264 08	418 69
"	minor groceries,	67 88	120 23	188 11
"	wood and coal.	335 44	638 59	974 03
"	oil,	62 73	53 07	115 80
"	ruinitule,	138 55	119 26	257 81
"	improvements and repairs.	289 22	1997 92	2287 14
"	plumber's work,	200 06	111 96	312 02
66	mason's work,	31 63	20 00	51 63
66	blacksmith's work,	61 22	26 84	
"	clothing and bedding,	601 52	629 49	88 06
66	boots and shoes,	32 54	94 49	1231 01
"	crockery,	02 04		127 03
"	books and stationery,		55 61	55 61
"	medicines,		104 17	104 17
66	stock and pasturing,		90 06	90 06
66	postage and express,		364 28	364 28
"	manure, lime, and plaster,	10.00	48 22	48 22
"	hard soap,	18 33	130 54	148 87
66	grass and garden and	39 51	46 49	86 00
66	grass and garden seeds, pew rent,	16 91	1 45	18 36
16	straw,		15 25	15 25
"			40 45	40 45
"	farming utensils,	17 05	57 59	74 64
"	Trustees' expenses,		73 10	73 10
	funeral expenses and remov-			972
"	ing the dead,		80 62	80 62
"	sundries,		51 73	51 73
86	cash in the Treasurer's hand	ds,		299 08
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	the state of the state of the state of		\$19	0.833 87

Among improvements and repairs are included—

Cost of new stable,	\$60C 10
Paints and oils, for buildings and fence,	\$686 42
Deines and ons, for buildings and ience,	396 09
Painters' work,	161 34
Stone work,	
Supply of iver single	186 72
Supply of iron pipes, &c., for water works,	120 22

Appendix.

Carpenter's work at general improvements and re-		
pairs,	. 399 2	25
Lumber,	153 4	17
Blacksmith work, (new wing account,)	18	75
Removing stumps,	91 (00
Moving a building,	29	00
Grading,	21	50
Grading,	W 0116 01	
	\$2,263	76

The Finance committee of the Board of Trustees have placed in the Treasurer's hands the sum of five thousand dollars, to cover deficiencies incurred in building the New Wing, and improving the premises generally; for the particular account of which, reference is had to the last annual report of the Board of Trustees.

The fiscal condition of the Institution, at the close of the financial year, (May 1st, 1852,) is as follows:

Balance on the Ledger, for the support of patients, accounted good, \$3,110 44 A note and an acc't thought doubtful, 255 78

	\$3,366 22
\$1,860 44	The indebtedness of the Asylum is \$1,250 00; which, taken from the amount on books deemed good, leaves a balance in favor of the Institution, of
N. Maide	The amount of the Kimball Fund, now in the State Treasury, from which interest is to be
6,530.00	derived annually, is The amount of the Chandler Bequest is yet
i gavaak	doubtful, as the estate is not settled. From private information just received from the Executors, it is believed that there will yet fall
20,695 46	to the Institution the sum of
	There is in the State Treasurer's hands an amount of interest due on the Kimball Fund
200 00	of, say, There is, also, in the same hands, the legacy of
	There is, also, in the same names, the regacy of

Miss Catharine Fiske, amounting originally to

the sum of \$5,419 67. Upon this item the Treasurer is unable to report, from the peculiar construction which successive State Treasurers have put upon the nature of this trust. Thus far, the annuity (\$250) paid from this fund to an individual named in the will, has been drawn directly from the principal, with no allowance of interest. If interest were allowed, as seems proper, the amount eventually paid to the Asylum would be large, while, upon the present construction of the trust, the whole sum will be expended in about fifteen years.

Omitting mention of the latter item, of the Institution may be stated,	the assets	\$29,285 90
There has recently been expended for putting up a complete bathing ap-		institution of the
paratus, And for an addition to the "Cottage,"	\$617 03	
for attendants' rooms,	457 75	
FD 200 day	\$1,074 78	

These inprovements were not completed till after the close of the financial year, and are, consequently, not included in the above account.

Respectfully submitted,

ANDREW McFARLAND, Treasurer.

N. H. Asylum for the Insane,

Concord, May 1st, 1852.

BANK COMMISSIONERS' REPORTS.

REPORT OF HENRY F. FRENCH.

To His Excellency the Governor, and to the Hon. Senate and House of Representatives of the State of New Hampshire:

The undersigned, Bank Commissioner, respectfully submits the following

ster Jonathan T. Coffin : REPORT : Mead, Nead,

Agreeably to the provisions of the Revised Statutes, I have made, personally, a full examination into the condition and management of the several banks hereinafter mentioned, at the dates specified:

WARNER BANK.—April 29.

President, Joshua George; Cashier, Francis Wilkins; Directors, Joshua George, Franklin Simonds, Jason H. Ames, John Brown, Abner Woodman, J. M. Wilmarth, Ira Harvey.

Means.

Natag	\$88,673 37
Notes,	12,380 56
Deposits in Boston,	2,813 69
Specie,	3,462 00
Foreign bills,	
	\$107,329 62

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	\$50,000 00
Bills in circulation, Deposits,	47,500 00
Profits on hand,	7,896 03
and the state of t	1,933 59

\$107,329 62

\$160,770 50

The Cashier is not indebted to the bank, and no Director is indebted to it to half the amount of his capital stock. The dividends in 1851 amounted to 7 per cent. The bank commenced operations in February, 1851. Its notes are all considered good.

BELKNAP COUNTY BANK.—Meredith, April 30.

President, Warren Lovell; Cashier, Daniel M. Gale; Directors, Warren Lovell, Henry Y. Simpson, Samuel Webster, Jonathan T. Coffin, Andrew Mack, Stephen W. Mead, Joseph P. Pitman.

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	\$144,996 75
Posits in Doston,	9,921 02
Specie,	5,057 73
Foreign bills, Other assets	295 00
	500 00
er Chalman Prancis Wilkins Co.	\$160 770 50
Liabilities	John Brown, Abper Wood,
Capital stock, Bills in circulation,	\$00,000 00
Deposits,	73,182 00
Profits on hand,	5,028 11
Tiones on manu,	2,560 39

The item "other assets," is made up of bills of the bank

in the hands of an agent to be exchanged. The Cashier is not indebted to the bank, and no Director is indebted to it to half the amount of his stock. The bank has been in the habit of receiving half of one per cent. on loans on Boston paper, beyond legal interest, by way of "exchange." A dividend of 4 per cent., and an extra dividend of 1½ per cent., were declared in September, 1851, and a dividend of 4 per cent. in March, 1852.

PITTSFIELD BANK.—April 24.

President, John L. Thorndike; Cashier, Charles H. Carpenter; Directors, John L. Thorndike, Jacob Perkins, Benjamin Emerson, Jeremiah Clough, S. M. D. Perkins, John S. Osborne, William Jenkins, jr.

Means.

Real estate,	\$2,835 55
Notes,	72,873 17
Deposits in Boston,	20,143 83
Specie,	2,397 25
Foreign bills,	2,068 00
Other assets,	63 14
	N al
	\$100,380 94

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	\$50,000 00
Bills in circulation,	44,913 00
Deposits,	3,524 00
Profits on hand,	1,943 94
of \$273 67 is considered depolal.	\$100 380 94

Some fixtures, such as safe, &c., are included in the item "real estate." About \$1300 of the above item of notes, is doubtful, or perhaps worse than doubtful. The bank commenced operations June 11, 1851, and paid one dividend

of 3 per cent. on the 1st January, 1852. The capital was all paid in before its business commenced. The Cashier is not indebted to the bank, and no Director is indebted to it to half the amount of his stock. Nothing is loaned on pledge of stock.

MERRIMACK COUNTY BANK .- Concord, April 28.

President, Francis N. Fisk; Cashier, Ebenezer S. Towle; Directors, Francis N. Fisk, Abiel Walker, Samuel Coffin, Richard Bradley, Joseph B. Walker.

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Real estate,	\$2,525 00
Notes,	142,417 39
Deposits in Boston,	22,291 74
Specie,	10,725 53
Foreign bills,	18,836 00
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	\$196 795 66

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	\$80,000 00
Bills in circulation,	79,164 00
Deposits,	29,788 49
Profits on hand,	7,843 17

\$196,795 66

The Cashier is not indebted to the bank, and no Director is indebted to the bank to more than half the amount of his stock. Only one debt of \$273 67 is considered doubtful. The books of the bank are kept with great care and accuracy, so that its affairs are not only understood by its officers, but are easily comprehended by others interested, which is not the case, it is feared, with some banks in the State. In the early part of the existence of the bank, however, no record was kept by any body but the Cashier of the bills sign-

ed by the President, and issued by the bank, an omission, which, on the theory which receives some countenance from history, that cashiers may be dishonest, is certainly inconsistent with the care exercised by the officers of this bank at the present time. Two semi-annual dividends were made in 1851, of 4 per cent. each.

MECHANICKS BANK .- Concord, April 27.

President, Joseph M. Harper; Cashier, George Minot; Directors, Joseph M. Harper, Seth Eastman, Josiah Minot, Paul Wentworth, D. M. Carpenter.

Means.

Real estate,	\$1,200 00
Notes,	214,210 23
Deposits in Boston,	41,577 83
Specie,	7,208 04
Foreign bills and checks,	8,634 84
	\$272,830 94

Liabilities.

Capital stock, Bills in circulation,	\$100,000 00 98,153 00
Deposits, Profits on hand,	57,525 59 17,152 35
	\$272,830 94

The Cashier is not indebted to the bank, nor is any Director indebted to it beyond half the amount of his stock. Of its notes \$5,420 are considered doubtful. The dividends in 1851 were semi-annually, 4 per cent. No record, except the Cashier's memorandum, has been kept at this bank of the amount or description of bills signed by the President and issued.

ASHUELOT BANK .- Keene, May 24 and 26.

President, Samuel Dinsmoor; Cashier, T. H. Leverett; Directors, Samuel Dinsmoor, Phineas Handerson, T. M. Edwards, B. F. Adams, Wm. Dinsmoor, Elijah Carpenter, Sumner Wheeler.

Means.

Real estate,	\$2,998 24 175,232 56
Notes, &c., Deposits in Boston,	9,334 85
Specie,	4,178 20
Foreign bills,	436 00
	\$192,179 85

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	\$100,000 00
Circulation,	74,144 00
Deposits,	13,451 51
Profits on hand,	4,584 34
	\$192.179.85

Of the securities under the item "notes, &c.," about \$160 is considered bad, and about \$1050 doubtful. All the rest is thought secure. No Director is indebted to the bank beyond half the amount of his stock. The dividends in 1851 were 4 per cent. semi-annually.

CHESHIRE BANK .- Keene, May 25.

President, John Elliot; Cashier, Z. Newell; Directors, John Elliot, L. Chamberlain, Charles Lamson, John W. Prentiss, George Huntington, J. Henry Elliot, Francis A. Faulkner.

Means.

Real estate,	\$4,000 00
Notes, &c.,	195,584 20
Deposits in Boston and Troy,	5,590 32
Specie,	5,426 98
Foreign bills and checks,	5,308 39
Oother assets,	455 00
	\$216,364 89

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	\$100,000 00
Circulation,	86,546 00
Deposits,	17,172 17
Profits on hand,	12,646 72
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	\$216,364 89

About \$2,500 of the notes are considered doubtful—the remainder good. No Director is indebted to the bank beyond half the amount of his stock. The Cashier is not indebted to the bank. The dividends in 1851 were 4 per cent. semi-annually.

CONNECTICUT RIVER BANK.—Charlestown, May 25.

President, Samuel Webber; Cashier, George Olcutt; Directors, Samuel Webber, Hope Lathrop, Sam'l Walker, Ansel Glover, Robert Elwell, Ashbel Hamlin, Geo. M. Dickinson.

Means.

Notes, &c.,	\$120,463 00
Deposits in Boston,	25,252 25
Specie,	8,056 88
Foreign bills,	2,384 00
Accounts, drafts, &c.,	9,934 67
	\$166,090.80

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	
Circulation,	
Deposits,	
Profits on hand,	

\$90,000 00 57,275 00 18,381 56 434 24

\$166,090 80

The item "accounts," is composed of funds in the hands of an agent in Boston, to meet drafts, and for exchange of bills. Of the item, "Notes, &c.," \$13,175 is in Sullivan Railroad first mortgage bonds for \$16,000. It is considered safe, the present market value of the bonds being 77 per cent. Of the notes, about \$11,600 are represented by the Cashier to be doubtful. He considers the remainder good, but it is believed that the utility of the bank, to the public and the stockholders, would be promoted by an exchange of a portion of its somewhat ancient collaterals, for regular bank paper. The dividends in 1851 were 3 per cent. semi-annually.

CLAREMONT BANK.—May 22.

youd half the amount of his stock. The Cashier is not in-

President, Ambrose Cossitt; Cashier, George N. Farwell; Directors, Ambrose Cossitt, Nicholas Farwell, Isaac F. Wetherbee, Wm. Rossiter, Horace Metcalf, Thomas Sanford, Nathaniel Tolles.

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Real estate,
Notes,
Deposits in Boston,
Foreign bills,
Specie,
Other assets,

\$1	,400	00
174	,878	94
20	,110	13
1	,700	00
7	,870	16
	114	65

\$206,073 88

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	\$100,000 00
Circulation,	87,000 00
Deposits,	16,984 57
Profits on hand,	2,089 31
	\$206.073.88

The notes are considered good. No Director is indebted to the bank to half the amount of his stock. The dividends in October and April last were 4 per cent. each.

FRANCESTOWN BANK.—May 27.

President, Daniel Fuller; Cashier, Paul H. Bixby; Directors, Daniel Fuller, Wm. Bixby, Mark Morse, John Aiken, Herbert Vose, Israel Batchelder, Thomas B. Bradford.

Means.

Notes,	\$54,303 17
Deposits in Boston,	25,604 16
Specie,	2,156 69
Foreign bills and drafts,	1,289 00
Expense account,	657 17
At our seda	\$84,010 19

Liabilities.

Capital stock,	\$60,000 00
Circulation,	20,780 00
Deposits,	2,000 00
Profits on hand,	1,230 19
01 837.55.26	
	\$84,010 19

The bank commenced operations May 12, 1852. The whole capital stock was paid in cash before any bills were issued. The Cashier has filed a sufficient bond for \$20,000.

All the requirements of the law, it is believed, have been met by the bank in its commencement. By an oversight, one of the Directors, John Aiken, has become liable to the bank as surety for \$3000, holding stock only to the amount of \$5000. Arrangements had been made to correct this error, before my examination.

NEW HAMPSHIRE SAVINGS BANK, Concord .-April 28.

President, Francis N. Fisk; Treasurer, Samuel Morril. There are eighteen Trustees. A standing committee, consisting of the President and three Trustees, make the investments, and have the general supervision of affairs. It is made their duty carefully to examine, at least once a month, all the securities, and to report to the Trustees twice a year the condition of the investments and demands of the institution. Two regular dividends, of two per cent. each, are made annually, and an extra dividend of the surplus profits is made once in five years. The condition of the institution on the 19th January, 1852, may be briefly stated thus:

Means.

Notes and stocks,	\$219,043 79
Interest accrued, not received,	4,270 00
Cash,	12,454 31
	\$235,768 10

Liabilities.	
Amount of deposits, Dividend of Jan. 17, 1852, Profits on hand,	\$216,047 65 4,001 75 15,718 70
ET GOS	\$235,768 10

The greater part of the notes are secured by mortgage of real estate. A part of the balance is loaned to municipal corporations. About \$25,000 is well invested in manufacturing and bank stocks. Only about \$600 of the whole amount of securities is considered doubtful. The officers of this institution are entitled to much credit for their faithful administration of its affairs.

MEREDITH BRIDGE SAVINGS BANK,-April 30.

President, John L. Perley; Treasurer, John T. Coffin. There are seven Trustees.

Means.

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Liabilities.	vestments.
Amount of deposits, Dividends unpaid,	\$63,726 12 9,657 36 2,808 60
Profits, and the profit of the	\$76,192 08

The securities of this bank are all considered good. Dividends of 2½ per cent. semi-annually have been paid, and a dividend of the surplus profits is provided for once in five institution in the country, of a similar character, has uni-

CHESHIRE PROVIDENT INSTITUTION FOR SAV-INGS, Keene.-May 24.

President, Salma Hale; Treasurer, George Tilden. There are fifteen Trustees.

Means.

Notes,		
Railroad	bonds	\$397,955 05
Railroad	stock.	37,800 00
Cash,	,	5,000 00
		5,978 47
		HIMOTECH.

\$446,733 52

Liabilities.

Amount of deposits, Profits on hand,	\$432,750 50 13,983 02
	\$446,733 52

Of this large amount of securities, only one note, of \$100, is considered doubtful. The railroad stock consists of eighty shares in the Cheshire Railroad. The notes are all secured by two or more names, or by mortgage of real estate or pledge of stock. A committee of investment, consisting of five persons, chosen annually by the Trustees, make the investments. The Treasurer's weekly accounts are examined by committees for the purpose, and the notes and securities are examined by a special committee, and reported on at the annual meeting in January. The whole annual expenses of the institution do not exceed \$625. The institution was chartered in 1833, for twenty years, and at the June session of the General Court in 1851, its charter was extended twenty years more. Semi-annual dividends of 21/2 per cent. have been regularly made, and an extra dividend once in five years, of one per cent. more per annum, has also been made. The interest accruing since January, 1852, is not included in the item "Notes." It is believed that no institution in the country, of a similar character, has uniformly paid so high a rate of interest on so large an amount of funds, for so long a term; and its present excellent condition and management entitles it to the confidence of those who have not the gift of taking good care of their own funds. Few individuals have been able to earn honestly so large a rate of interest in New Hampshire, even upon small amounts, without loss.

CONNECTICUT RIVER SAVINGS BANK, Charlestown.—May 25.

President, Samuel Webber; Treasurer, George Olcutt. There are eighteen Trustees. The following statement is made up to May 5:

Means.

Notes,	\$115,768 96
Cheshire Railroad bonds,	13,500 00
Cash,	14,353 56
	\$143,622 52

Liabilities.

Amount of deposits,	\$137,665 38
Unpaid dividends,	2,104 83
Profits on hand,	3,852 31
rectors. An examining committee	\$143,622 52

A finance committee of five Trustees make all the loans, and another committee of three for each year, make an examination of the affairs of the bank twice each year. The Treasurer gives it as his opinion that the notes are all good, except about \$1400. A considerable amount of loans, however, are secured by collateral paper, some of which is old and has been long overdue, and one debt of \$2500 is secured by a mortgage on personal property in Boston. However secure these funds may be, they are not of a character to be immediately available. A due regard to the safety of savings institutions demands that their investments be of such a character that they may be, to a considerable extent, convertible into cash at short notice. Otherwise, upon a panic among the depositors, the banks cannot meet their liabilities according to their own regulations. This bank has regularly paid dividends amounting to 5 per cent. a year, since its charter in 1835. Its expenses are but about \$300 a year, and with the exception above alluded to, its affairs seem to be judiciously conducted.

SULLIVAN SAVINGS INSTITUTION, Claremont.—
May 26.

President, Timothy Eastman; Treasurer, Samuel C. Bailey.

Means.

Notes, Interest accruing,		\$37,775 85 158 38
Cash,	and bonds,	2,328 22
		\$40,262 45

Liabilities.

Amount of deposits, Dividends unpaid, Profits on hand,	Laabilities 2018.	\$38,830 31 804 11 628 03
10 628 2		\$40,262 45

There are eighteen Directors. An examining committee of three, twice each year, make a thorough investigation of the affairs of the institution. Dividends of $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. semi-annually, have been regularly declared. The whole amount of expenses of the institution are less than \$100. The notes are all considered good.

HENRY F. FRENCH, Bank Commissioner. Exeter, June, 1852.

REPORT OF FREDERICK VOSE.

To His Excellency the Governor and the Legislature of the State of New Hampshire:

The undersigned, as one of the Bank Commissioners, hav-

ing at the dates specified made examination into the condition and management of the banks and savings institutions hereinafter mentioned, respectfully submits the following

REPORT:

WINCHESTER BANK, May 13, 1852.

Henry Kingman is the President, Erastus Snow Cashier. Directors, Henry Kingman, Asahel H. Bennett, Alfred Willis, Alonzo Kingsley, Charles S. Faulkner, Otis Amidon and Lemuel H. Alexander. There are 90 stockholders. It is chartered from Jan. 1, 1848. No Directors are improperly indebted to the bank. There is nothing due the bank on pledge of its stock. In the opinion of the Cashier, given on oath, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable, except a debt of \$500, which is doubtful. Within the past year two dividends were made, in July 4 per cent., in Januuary 3½ per cent.

The discounts are made by one or more of the Directors, and approved at their next weekly meeting. No interest is paid on deposits.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Debts due the bank, Specie in the bank,	\$149,043 35 3,093 12
Deposits in Boston banks, Bills of other banks, Real estate,	6,931 00 2,233 00
Conital at 1	\$165,300 47
Capital stock, Circulation, Deposits,	
Surplus,	3,581 74 4,309 73
	\$165,300 47

BANK OF LEBANON, May 18, 1852.

Robert Kimball is the President, James H. Kendrick

Cashier. . The Directors are Robert Kimball, Timothy Kenrick, Paul Buswell, Samuel Wood, 2d, Abner Allen, Uriah Amsden and William S. Ela. There are 89 stockholders. It is chartered from June 1, 1848. No Director is unduly indebted to the bank. There is nothing due the bank on pledge of its stock. In the sworn opinion of the Cashier, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable, with the exception of one of \$1000.

Two dividends have been made in the past year of 3½ per cent. each. The discounts are made by the Cashier, under the supervision of the Directors. The bank pays no inter-

est on deposits.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Debts due the bank,	\$140,525 23 8,313 59
Specie in the bank, Deposits in other banks for redemption of bills, Bills of other banks,	49,858 61 6.279 00
Real estate, annuant video w ixon nadi	\$207,776 43
Capital stock, Circulation, Deposits,	\$100,000 00 93,180 00 6,243 26 8,353 17
Surplus,	\$207,776 43

LANCASTER BANK, May 19, 1852.

Royal Joyslin is the President, George A. Cossitt Cashier. The Directors are Royal Joyslin, David Burnside, Richard P. Kent, Reuben Stephenson, Edward C. Spaulding, Thos. Montgomery, Geo. C. Williams. The shares are \$50 each, and there are 41 stockholders.

Royal Joyslin, owning \$5650 of the stock, is indebted to the bank as principal \$2988 54, and as surety \$2295 35. Reuben Stephenson has stock \$250, and owes as principal \$754 66, as surety \$2991 89. Edward C. Spalding has stock \$1000, and owes as surety \$993 17. Thomas Montgomery has stock \$250, and owes as principal \$249 05. One other Director is indebted in an amount less than half his stock; the other two and the Cashier are not indebted to the bank.

There is due the bank on pledge of its stock, \$2259 33, two of the debtors having died insolvent, and the other two being irresponsible. No dividend has been made since 1842. The discounts are made with the assent of two or more Directors, or by the Cashier upon names approved by the Directors. Within the last year the bank has paid as interest on deposits, \$400 95, at the rate of six per cent.

From the loose and imperfect manner in which the accounts of this bank have been kept, I consider it impracticable to ascertain from them its present exact condition. The following, however, with the accompanying explanations, is submitted as an estimate of its means and liabilities:

Deposits in Suffolk Bank,	\$13,365	
Service in the bank	1,894	28
Specie in the bank,		
Bills of other banks,		
Checks, coupon, &c.	530	
Real estate,	2,245	00
	43,770	76
Stock notes and interest,	24,532	
Notes discounted,		
Receipts for bills to exchange,	1,805	00
Notes and executions, \$18,761 95; deem-		
Trotes and exceditions, \$2-7.	800	00
ed collectable,	10,358	
Deficit,	10,550	0.5
	4100 010	PA
	\$102,819	74
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Capital stock,	\$50,000	00
Capital Steeling	40,563	00
Circulations	11,656	
2000000		
Other liabilities,	600	00
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	\$102,819	74
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The Cashier upon oath gives it as his opinion that all the notes discounted, and receipts for bills, are good and collect-

able. \$17,000 of the item, "notes and executions," have long been regarded as worthless. Of the amount of the stock notes, including interest, \$1344 24 is considered by the Cashier to be bad; and he estimates the actual value of the real estate at \$1500. Assuming the correctness of these data, the above deficit will be increased to nearly \$12,500. In my judgment it will be found to exceed that amount.

The charter of this bank will expire June 1, 1853; and although I entertain no doubt that it has ample means for the ultimate redemption of its bills and other liabilities to the public, yet it is evident that part of those means must be derived from that class of its securities termed stock notes, many of which have been of long standing, and may not

admit of rapid collection.

In the present situation of its resources, the interest of the stockholders, as well as of the public, requires that immediate and effective steps should be taken by the Directors to put its affairs in proper train for seasonable liquidation.

WHITE MOUNTAIN BANK, May 19, 1852.

Located at Lancaster. James B. Sumner is the President, George C. Williams Cashier. The Directors are James B. Sumner, Barton G. Towne, James W. Weeks, Edward C. Spaulding, Oliver B. Howe, Hezekiah Parsons, Jr., and Moses Woodward. The capital is \$50,000, all paid in, and there are 27 stockholders. It is chartered for 20 years from March 1, 1850, and commenced its issue of bills April 17, 1852. As yet no dividend has been made. One Director only is indebted to the bank, and he owes less than half the amount of his stock. The Cashier is not indebted. discounts are made with the approbation of the Directors. Interest is paid on a deposit of \$1000. All the debts due the bank are, in the opinion of the Cashier, upon his oath, good and collectable.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Debts due the bank,	\$50,203 74
Deposits in Boston banks,	7,473 94
Bills of other banks,	1,764 00

Specie in the bank,	534 25
TI 091.6	\$59,975 93
Capital stock,	\$50,000 00
Deposits and checks,	1,700 00
Circulation,	4,886 00
Balance, Sast 18 VEN CHIASI SI	2 200 02
is the President, Andrew Peirce Cashier	\$59,975 93

GREAT FALLS BANK, May 20, 1852.

John A. Burleigh is the President, David H. Buffum Cashier. The Directors are John A. Burleigh, Daniel G. Rollins, Nathaniel Wells, Oliver H. Lord, Samuel T. Whitehouse, Mark Noble and Charles E. Bartlett. It is chartered for 20 years from August, 1846. The number of stockholders is 105. Charles E. Bartlett owns stock \$1000, and owes the bank as principal \$800, as surety \$400. No other Director is indebted beyond the legal limit, nor is the Cashier indebted. There is due the bank on pledge of its stock, \$8929 40.

In the opinion of the Cashier, given on oath, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable. Within the past year there have been two dividends of 4 per cent. each. The discounts are made by the board of Directors, at their weekly meetings. No interest is paid on deposits. No list of the stockholders has been filed with the Town Clerk of the town.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Debts due the bank, Deposits in Suffolk Bank, Specie in the bank, Bills of other banks,	\$225,867 06 21,231 72 3,712 41 3,887 58
Real estate and fixtures, Capital stock,	\$2,910 51 \$257,609 28 \$150,000 00

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\$257,609 28

DOVER BANK, May 21, 1852.

Joseph H. Smith is the President, Andrew Peirce Cashier. The Directors are Joseph H. Smith, Andrew Peirce, Jr., Noah Martin, Calvin Hale, Enoch H. Nutter, Willis H. Estey and Lyman Wrisley. It is chartered for 20 years from August, 1845. There are 88 stockholders. No Director is indebted to the bank beyond the legal limit, nor is the Cashier indebted.

The Cashier gives his opinion, on oath, that all the debts due the bank, with the exception of \$811 17, are good and collectable. The discounts are made by the Directors of the week, and sanctioned at the weekly meeting of the board. The bank allows interest upon a portion of its deposits at the rate of 5 per cent., a practice which, aside from its irregularity in other respects, tends to withdraw from other banks their legitimate business.

Within the past year two dividends of 4 per cent. each have been made.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Debts due the bank,	\$166,660 77
	10,000,00
Specie in the bank,	3,237 77
Bills of other banks, and checks,	3,653 00
Deposits in Boston banks,	11,686 92
Real estate,	6,000 00
R. Bank, 21,231,72	\$201,238 46
Capital stock,	\$100,000 00
Deposits,	16,284 63
Circulation,	69,384 00
Surplus,	15,569 83
00 000,081g	\$201,238 46

STRAFFORD BANK, May 21, 1852.

William Woodman is the President, Asa A. Tufts Cashier. The Directors are William Woodman, Daniel M. Christie, Nathaniel Young, William S. Stevens, John Currier, Moses Paul and Eleazer D. Chamberlin. It is chartered to June 1, 1867. The number of stockholders is 97.

No Director is indebted to the bank beyond the legal limitation, nor is the Cashier indebted. There is due the bank on pledge of its stock, \$3878 39. No interest is paid upon deposits. The discounts are usually made at the weekly meetings of the Directors—occasionally with the consent of a part of them.

The Cashier is of opinion, upon his affirmation, that all the debts due the bank are good and collectable. There have been two dividends within the past year, of four per cent. each.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Debts due the bank, Specie in the bank, Deposits in Boston banks, Bills of other banks, and checks, Real estate,	\$204,201 66 3,818 75 12,950 81 2,630 23 9,624 59
00 000 001 08 200 00	\$233,226 04
Capital stock,	\$120,000 00
Deposits, Circulation,	28,554 23
Surplus,	71,197 00
Surpius,	13,474 81
	\$233,226 04

The capital stock was increased from \$100,000 to \$120,-000, by a vote of July 7, 1851.

COCHECHO BANK, May 21, 1852.

The Directors are Hillam R. Roberts, Puny Law-

Thomas Stackpole is the President, Ezekiel Hurd Cash-

ier. The Directors are Thomas Stackpole, Thomas E. Sawyer, Oliver Libbey, Jacob K. Purinton, William B. Wiggins, Joseph Morrill and George S. Woodman. It is chartered for 20 years from Sept. 1, 1851. There are 187 stockholders. Two only of the Directors are indebted to the bank, and those in small amounis as sureties. The Cashier is not indebted. There is due the bank on pledge of its stock, \$1590.

No dividend has as yet been declared. Those stockholders who paid before Nov. 1, 1851, have been allowed by the Directors 4 per cent. up to Oct. 1, and 5 per cent. up to Nov. 1 for interest. The discounts are made by a committee of the Directors, and at the weekly meetings of the board. No interest is paid on deposits. In the opinion of the Cashier, upon oath, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable. The capital has all been paid in, in cash.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Debts due the bank, Specie in the bank, Deposits in Boston banks, Bills of other banks,	\$165,338 58 4,203 64 5,034 59 1,277 00 4,244 51
Real estate,	\$180,098 32 \$100,000 00
Capital stock, Circulation, Deposits, Surplus,	68,300 00 6,349 60 5,448 72
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SALMON FALLS BANK, May 22, 1852.

Hiram R. Roberts is the President, William H. Morton Cashier. The Directors are Hiram R. Roberts, Pliny Lawton, John E. Tyler, Oliver H. Lord, Augustus Rollins, Samuel Hidden and Humphrey S. Watson. It is chartered for 20 years from Aug. 1, 1851, and commenced issuing bills

Jan. 1, 1852, the capital having been all paid in in cash. There are 81 stockholders.

No Director is indebted to the bank beyond the legal limit, and the Cashier is not indebted. There is due the bank on pledge of its stock, \$2182.71. In the opinion of the Cashier, upon oath, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable. The discounts are made at the weekly meetings of the Directors, or in the intervals, by consent of a majority of them. No interest is paid on deposits. No dividend has yet been made.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Notes due the bank,	\$66,898 66
Real estate,	3,035 71
Bills of other banks, and checks,	849 00
Specie in the bank,	2,016 16
Deposits in Boston banks,	16,332 98
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	\$89,132 51
Capital stock,	\$50,000 00
	0.007 74
Deposits, Sand MARIA VIVIO LIK	
Circulation,	35,131 00
Surplus, I advantable language ilais bank	1,793 77
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	\$89,132 51

ROCHESTER BANK, May 22, 1852.

Simon Chase is the President, John McDuffie, Jr. Cashier. The Directors are Simon Chase, James Farrington, John Greenfield, Charles Dennett, Jeremy Wingate, James C. Cole and Dominicus Hanson. There are 108 stockholders. No Director is indebted to the bank beyond the lawful amount, and the Cashier is not indebted. No interest is paid on deposits. There is due the bank on pledge of its stock, \$897 55. It is chartered for 20 years from Sept. 1, 1834.

In the opinion of the Cashier, upon oath, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable. The discounts are made by a majority of the Directors. Two dividends of 4 percent. each have been made in the past year.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Specie in the bank,	\$175,457 05 5,812 01 4,471 30 16 00 1,560 50 \$187,316 86
Capital stock, Circulation, Deposits, Surplus,	\$120,000 00 57,932 00 4,876 31 4,508 55 \$187,316 86

CARROLL COUNTY BANK, May 24, 1852.

Located at Sandwich. Daniel Hoit is the President, Stephen Beede Cashier. The Directors are Daniel Hoit, Moulton H. Marston, Joseph Wentworth, John M. Stevenson, John Bryant and Jeremiah Furber. There are 35 stockholders. The capital is all paid in in cash. It is chartered for 20 years from March 1, 1851, and commenced issuing its bills Oct. 1, 1851.

John M. Stevenson owns stock \$500, and owes the bank as principal \$410, and as surety \$150. No other Director is indebted to the bank above the legal amount, and the Cashier is not indebted. There is due the bank on pledge of its stock, \$350. The discounts are made by consent of a majority of the Directors. No interest is paid on deposits.

In the opinion of the Cashier, given on his affirmation, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable. A dividend was declared April 1, of 4 per cent.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Notes discounted and other debts,

\$83,119 29

Specie in the bank, Deposits in Boston banks, Bills of other banks,	3,127 81 12,406 83 1,018 00
	\$99,671 93
Capital stock, Circulation,	\$50,000 00 44,365 00
Deposits, Surplus,	5,102 22 204 71
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MONADNOCK BANK, May 26, 1852.

John Conant is the President, Peter Upton Cashier. The Directors are John Conant, Benjamin Cutter, Jonas M. Melville, Samuel Ryan, Jr., James Scott, Salmon Allen and John A. Prescott. There are 74 stockholders. It is chartered

for 20 years from Sept. 1, 1850.

No Director is indebted to the bank beyond the legal limit, and the Cashier is not indebted. Nothing is due the bank on pledge of its stock. The discounts are made by the Cashier in cases deemed unquestionable; in other cases by the Directors. Interest is paid on about \$3000 of deposits at 4 per cent, and on about \$2000 at 6 per cent.

In the sworn opinion of the Cashier, all the debts due the bank are good and collectable. The first dividend, in July, 1851, was 3 per cent.; another was declared in Jan., 1852, of 4 per cent. No list of the stockholders has been filed

with the town clerk of Jaffrey.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

Loans and discounts,	\$93,412 69
Deposits in Boston banks,	13,257 90
Specie in the bank,	3,004 79
Bills of other banks,	795 00
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	\$110 470 38

Capital stock,	\$50,000 00
Circulation,	48,799 00
Deposits,	9,260 09
Surplus,	2,411 29
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	\$110 470 38

SOMERSWORTH SAVINGS BANK, May 20, 1852.

John A. Burleigh is the President, Mark Noble the Secretary and Treasurer. The Trustees are Nathaniel Wells, Benjamin Hanson, Oliver H. Lord, David H. Buffum, Samuel Clark, Geo. W. Brasbridge and Charles H. Bell. There are 843 depositors. None of the officers but the Secretary and Treasurer receive any compensation. The rate of dividend has been 5 per cent., except in 1850, when an extra dividend of 1 per cent. was made. The Treasurer upon oath gives his opinion that all the notes receivable of the institution are good and collectable.

The means and liabilities of the bank are as follows:

200 shares Great Falls Bank,	\$20,000 00
50 " Salmon Falls Bank,	5,000 00
Notes receivable,	60,081 02
50 shares Great Falls and Conway Railroad	
Cash on hand,	2,945 45
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Due depositors, including dividend of Jan.	
5, 1852, a shaddan and in tall of	\$90,002 44
Balance, yerilet to his to	3,024 03
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SAVINGS BANK FOR THE COUNTY OF STRAF-FORD, May 21, 1852.

John Currier is the President, William Woodman Clerk

and Treasurer. There are nine Trustees, viz: John Currier, Moses Paul, Benjamin Wiggin, J. H. Wheeler, D. M. Christie, E. C. Andrews, Ezekiel Hurd, E. D. Chamberlin and William Woodman, by a majority of whom the loans and investments are made. There are over 2500 depositors. None of the officers receive any compensation, except the Treasurer, and none of them are indebted to the institution as principals. Several of the Trustees are liable as sureties, in an amount in all of \$8907 45. In the following statement of the situation of the bank, the real estate and railroad stocks are set down at cost. The former it is believed could be sold for at least \$5500, while the present value of the railroad stocks is of course dependent upon their current market price.

Notes receivable,		\$319,206 05
120 shares in Strafford Bank,		12,000 00
Railroad Stock.		
383 shares Boston and Maine,	40,460	
129 "Boston and Worcester,	14,125	
228 "Northern,	22,800	
133 " Old Colony,	12,898	
200 " Cochecho,	20,000	
12. C.	and a	110,283 00
Brick house on Central St.,	6,000	
Lot on Orchard St.,	1,000	
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Deposit in Strafford Bank,		2,948 64
Cash,		5 62
		\$451,443 31
Due depositors,		\$426,823 56
Balance,		24,619 75
		\$451,443 31
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Within the past year two dividends of $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. each have been made, and including such portion of them as has not been paid, the amount due depositors has increased since last year \$7736 72; while on the other hand the amount of

notes has, in the same time, increased \$12,111 46, and the general balance \$2276 71, making together \$14,388 17. From this it appears that the balance of income over the usual dividends and expenses, is tending to make up the loss arising from the depreciation of part of the railroad stocks held by the institution.

In the opinion of the Treasurer, given on oath, all the notes due the bank are good and collectable. The expenses for the last year, including \$109 42 for taxes, and the Treasurer.

surer's salary, were only \$S62 91.

ROLLINSFORD SAVINGS BANK, May 21, 1852.

Hiram R. Roberts is the President, and Justus D. Watson Secretary and Treasurer. There is a board of nine Trustees, by whom the loans and investments are made, none of whom are indebted to the institution. The number of depositors is 206. The loans are made upon notes with sureties, or secured by mortgage of real estate. The semi-annual dividends are at the rate of 5 per cent., and the first was made in July, 1851. In the opinion of the Treasurer, all the loans and investments are good. Por the last year the expenses have been \$72.

The means and liabilities are as follows:

Notes receivable,	\$12,850 30
Stock in Salmon Falls Bank,	8,000 00
Cash,	20 04
To serios	\$20,870 34
Due depositors,	\$20,302 17
Surplus,	568 17
	\$20,870,34

NORWAY PLAINS SAVINGS BANK, May 22, 1852.

The President is Charles Dennett, the Secretary and

Treasurer John McDuffie, Jr. There are seven Trustees, by a majority of whom the loans are made. These are all in good notes, secured by two or more sureties. None of the

officers are indebted to the bank.

There are 98 depositors, the largest deposit being \$650. The by-laws provide for a semi-annual dividend of $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., with an extra dividend each five years. The first dividend was made in May, 1852, amounting to \$142 28, and leaving, after paying the expense account, a surplus of \$170 41.

Its means and liabilities are as follows:

Due depositors,	\$12,703 47
Profits on hand,	269 41
	\$12,972 88
Notes discounted,	\$11,970 00
Cash,	1,002 88
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WALPOLE SAVINGS BANK, May 31, 1852.

David Buffum is the President, Edward Crosby Secretary and Treasurer. The investing committee are Ephraim Holland, B. B. Grant and J. Kittredge. There are 9 Trustees and 130 depositors. No officer but the Treasurer receives compensation, nor is any officer indebted to the bank as principal. One Trustee is liable as surety for \$500. The semi-annual dividends to the depositors are $2\frac{1}{2}$ per cent., and an extra dividend is intended to be made each five years. In the Treasurer's opinion, all the debts to the bank are good and well secured.

Its means and liabilities are as follows:

Notes receivable,	\$7,435 64
\$300 Cheshire Railroad bonds,	285 00
\$1700 Vt. Central 1st mort. 7 per cent.	bonds, 1,517 00
Interest due on railroad bonds,	17 41
Cash on hand,	1,029 66
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	\$10.284 71

Due depositors, \$10,106 66 Surplus,

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\$10,284 71

In the above statement the railroad bonds stand at their cost to the bank. That of the Cheshire road has since improved to par, and the others have a market value exceeding their cost. It is evident, however, that securities of this sort, which the judgment of capitalists allows to stand below the point indicated by the market rate of interest, must be regarded as of a speculative character, and the propriety of such investments, by institutions of this kind, may in my opinion be well questioned.

The expenses of this bank for the last year have been

\$40 25.

FREDERICK VOSE, Bank Commissioner.

REPORTS OF JAMES M. RIX.

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To His Excellency the Governor of New Hampshire:

In discharge of my duties as Bank Commissioner, between the 9th and 23d of April last, I visited and made an examination into the affairs of the several banks in this State which are embraced in the following statements. And I submit, in reference thereto, to your Excellency, and through you to the Legislature, the following

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The following is an abstract of the statements showing the condition of the several banks, at the time of the examination, as verified by their several Cashiers, on oath, and tested by an examination of their funds, books and securities:

ROCKINGHAM BANK-Portsmouth.

Bills discounted,	\$318,277 58
Specie,	10,744 17
Bills of other banks,	1,683 38
Deposits for redemption of bills,	37,085 21
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	\$367,790 34
Capital stock,	\$160,000 00
Circulation, atlid to notione	
Deposits,	65,120 69
Profit and loss,	35,421 65
	\$367,790 34

MECHANICS AND TRADERS BANK-Portsmouth.

Bills discounted,	\$285,898 96
Specie,	7,229 24
Bills, checks, &c.,	6,737 88
Deposits for redemption of bills,	21,936 10
NEW IPSWICH BANK.	#201 000 10
	\$321,802 18
Capital stock,	\$141,000 00
Circulation,	110,176 00
Deposits,	0191101 00
Profit and loss, of appendix of sinega has sained	
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PISCATAQUA EXCHANGE BANK—Portsmouth.

Bills discounted, Specie, Bills of other bank, checks, &c., Deposits for redemption of bills, Real estate,	\$339,102 45 8,440 55 9,291 11 32,466 26 1,600 00
9108,383 64	\$391,900 37

Capital stock, Circulation,	\$200,000 00 147,680 00
Deposits, Profit and loss,	39,314 16 3,906 21
E Mysics	\$390,900 37

GRANITE STATE BANK-Exeter.

Bills discounted, Specie, Bills of other banks, Deposits for redemption of bills, Real estate,	\$204,738 94 4,779 28 1,320 00 16,410 77 3,000 00
	\$230,248 99
Capital stock, Circulation, Deposits, Profit and loss,	\$125,000 00 83,954 00 16,788 55 4,506 44
	\$230,248 99

NEW IPSWICH BANK.

Bills discounted,	\$138,395 57
Specie,	4,872 83
Bills of other banks,	110 00
Deposits with banks and agents to redeem bills	, 29,405 24
50 shares Fitchburg Railroad stock,	5,000 00
Bonds of Peterborough and Shirley Railroad in	1
Massachusetts,	20,600 00
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	\$198,383 64
CA 801,8882 beautiful to the state of the st	# 400 000 00
Capital stock,	\$100,000 00
Circulation,	93,629 00
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Deposits, Profit and loss, 93,629 00 1,935 59 2,819 05 \$198,383 64

Appendix.

NASHUA BANK.

Bills discounted, Specie, Bills of other banks, checks, &c.,	\$220,085 30 9,071 91 400 00
Deposits for redemption of bills,	\$251,972 65
Capital stock, Circulation, Deposits,	\$125,000 00 99,663 00 15,794 13
Profit and loss,	11,515 52
	\$251,972 65

INDIAN HEAD BANK-Nashua.

Bills discounted,	\$197,024 30
Specie,	5,490 01
Bills of other banks,	5,097 00
Deposits for redemption of bills,	15,229 08
	\$222,840 39
Capital stock,	\$100,000 00
Circulation,	
Deposits,	
Profit and loss,	5,802 92
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AMOSKEAG BANK—Manchester.

Bills discounted, Specie, Bills of other bank, &c., Deposits for redemption of bills,	\$274,133 92 3,318 00 3,716 14 47,929 33
	\$329,097 39
Capital stock,	\$150,000 00

Circulation, Deposits, Profit and loss,	NASHUA BANK.	147,790 00 22,405 03 8,902 36
Front and loss,		\$329,097 39

MANCHESTER BANK.

Bills discounted,	\$243,902 48
Specie,	4,596 19
Bills of other banks,	130 00
Deposits for redemption of bills,	43,882 59
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	\$292,512 06
\$251,972 65	
Capital stock,	\$125,000 00
Circulation, surface/ - AMAR CLASS H. M.	
Deposits,	40,315 29
Profit and loss,	8,967 77
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The securities embraced in the above statements are, with a single exception, reported as good. Some of the banks have lost considerable amounts during the last year, but have charged their losses over to profit and loss account. The Cashier of the Manchester Bank supposes that that institution may lose \$3000 upon notes now included among its "bills discounted." Several of these banks have been in the habit of collecting more than six per cent. interest upon notes discounted by them and payable out of the State, under the name of "exchange." As will be seen, all of them have earned fair dividends, and some of them very liberal profits, during the past year. The year has been one of much financial embarrassment, and the losses which have fallen unequally upon these banks, fortunately impairing the capital of none of them, have yet been sufficiently heavy to occasion a very marked disparity in their earnings. Thus of two institutions, each dividing eight per cent., as usual, the one has added more than 4½ per cent. upon its capital to its reserved profits, and the other reduced its profits on hand about two-thirds of that amount.

The loans of the banks examined by me, to large corporations abroad and at home, and to firms and individuals in other States, speaking of them collectively, are very large. From a schedule before me, from which items proper to be included in it are doubtless omitted, I find that there are loans made by them, as follows:

To railroads, entirely without the \$187,908 72 State. To railroads connecting this State 143,263 55 with others, 23,726 50 To railroads within the State, \$354,898 77 To manufacturing corporations \$255,149 06 abroad, corporations To manufacturing 401,498 89 within the State, 656,647 95 Thirteen firms and individuals in other States, 193,575 47 \$1,205,122 20

This heavy amount is loaned to forty-seven corporations, firms and individuals. An amount of it equal to the entire circulation of these banks is loaned to persons residing or to corporations either located or principally owned out of the The securities for these loans are doubtless abundant. We refer to them thus particularly on account of any influence they may have upon the supply of suitable banking accommodations to our own people. They embrace from forty-two to seventy-five per cent. of the loans of the several banks above named. And they have loaned very considerable sums, in addition to these, to the business people of Massachusetts, New York, and more distant localities. While our banks thus overflow with accommodations for other States we may rightfully assume that they have extended all proper favor to the business people of our own. While they extend a helping hand, in seasons of great embarrassment, to the large manufacturing establishments of Massachusetts and the important railroad enterprises of Northern New York and Michigan, to suppose that they withhold needful aid from the smaller business transactions of the communities in which they are located, is to conceive them to be regardless of the duty they owe to the State, in return for the privileges it has granted them. Assuming that these establishments are not unmindful of that duty, we see in this abundance of our foreign loan evidence only of the exuberance of our means. It demonstrates, in whatever light we regard it, that under the pressure of the most adverse circumstances that can for the present possibly await us, our banks will possess ample means not only for maintaining but for extending their loans to our own citizens. And it also demonstrates that if there is in the vicinity of these banks any want of banking accommodations which prudent institutions would supply, it arises from the want rather of the disposition than of the ability to relieve it.

The following table exhibits the amount of capital, loans on pledge of stock, legal circulation and actual circulation

of each of the banks embraced in this report:

Banks.	Capital. ple	Loans on edge of stock.	Legal Circulation.	Actual Circulation.
Rockingham,	160,000	400	159,600	107,248
Mechanics and Trad-				201,120
ers,	141,000	3,800	137,200	110,176
Piscataqua Exchange	,200,000	none.	200,000	147,680
Granite State,	125,000	300	124,700	83,954
New Ipswich,	100,000	none.	100,000	93,629
Indian Head,	100,000	none.	100,000	97,048
Nashua,	125,000	none.	125,000	99,663
Amoskeag,	150,000	none.	150,000	147,790
Manchester,	125,000	none.	125,000	118,229
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\$1,226,000 \$4,500 \$1,221,500 \$1,005,417

It will be seen that the circulation of none of these banks

exceeds the limits prescribed by law.

John J. Pickering is the Cashier of the Rockingham Bank, and has given a good bond in the sum of \$15,000. James F. Shores, Cashier of the Mechanics and Traders, Samuel Lord, of the Piscataqua Exchange, George Barrett, of the New Ipswich, Albert McKean, of the Indian Head, and John M. Hunt, of the Nashua Bank, have given bonds in \$20,000 each; Samuel H. Stevens, of the Granite State,

in \$25,000, and Moody Currier, of the Amoskeag, and Nathan Parker, of the Manchester Bank, in \$30,000. They are neither of them indebted to the banks under their charge. None of the Directors of the Rockingham or Nashua Banks are indebted to them in any form. In the Mechanics and Traders Bank, John Knowlton, owning \$3,150 in stock, is indebted \$5,509 81 as principal and surety, or \$3,934 81 beyond the limits prescribed by law. He has \$2,200 on deposit in the bank. In the Granite State Bank, Abner Merrill, owning \$2,500 in stock, owes \$2,736 62, as endorser— \$1.486 62 being in violation of law. In the New Ipswich Bank, L. A. Elliot, owning \$200 in stock, is indebted \$135 as endorser. He owned \$1000 in stock, however, when his liability was incurred. In the Indian Head Bank, John H. Gage owns \$2,000 in stock, and is indebted \$370 93. A firm, however, in which he is one of three co-partners, owes the bank \$910 85. There is no other indebtedness of the Directors which is not clearly within the law.

The old Granite Bank at Exeter is now closing. Its bills are redeemed at the Granite State Bank. The following was, in substance, its condition on the 13th of April last:

Bills discounted, Foreign bills, Deposit in Suffolk Bank, " " Granite State Bank,	\$35,675 2,685 2,000 4,000
Capital stock, Circulation, Deposits,	\$1,400 21,600 8,000

By the provisions of "An act in relation to banks and banking," approved June, 1843, it is provided that banks, in closing up their affairs, "shall at all times for and during four years after the expiration of their charter, retain in bank so much of their capital stock as shall be equal to twice the amount of their outstanding debts and liabilities." To conform with the imperative provisions of this law, the bank should have, in the present state of its indebtedness, retained \$59,200 of its capital.

It gives me great pleasure to say that I derive from an examination of the affairs of the several institutions embraced in

this report, the utmost confidence in the judiciousness of their management in all those particulars which affect their solvency and the public safety.

JAMES M. RIX, Bank Commissioner.

To His Excellency the Governor of New Hampshire:

During the month of April, 1852, at the precise dates hereinafter indicated, in the discharge of my duties as Bank Commissioner, I visited and examined the several Savings Banks named below, and in reference to the same, submit the following

REPORT:

PORTSMOUTH SAVINGS BANK.

This bank is located at Portsmouth. Examination on the 10th of April. On that day the means and liabilities of this institution were as follows:

Means.

Bonds of States,	\$50,779 00
Counties,	29,550 00
Cities,	252,787 53
Corporations,	161,596 38
Bank stock,	8,400 00
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Liabilities.

Due depositors,	\$475,658 28
Last dividend,	8,810 59
Reserved profits,	27,844 51
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\$512,313 38

The par value of the \$503,112 91 in bonds and stock, included in the above statement, is \$522,472, and the income on the same for the last current year was \$30,635. expenses for the last current year were \$1,374 01. large sums entrusted to this institution are, as thus appears, earning, as now invested, more than six per cent. above expenses. And they appear to me to be invested in securities of the most safe and reliable character-capable of being promptly converted into cash. The institution has made no losses during the past year. It divides regularly four per cent. per annum, and divides the surplus every fifth year. The surplus now on hand has accumulated in three years and a half. There is a thorough examination into the affairs of this institution twice every year. It was incorporated in 1823, with a perpetual charter. William M. Shackford is President, and Samuel Lord, Treasurer. There is no indebtedness of any of the officers of this bank to the same. Its investments are made under the direction of a committee of investment, chosen annually. There are 2242 females and 1538 males, in all 3780, at present having deposits entrusted to its management.

NEW MARKET SAVINGS BANK.

Located at New Market. Examination April 14, when the following was the condition of its affairs:

Means.

Securities and interest, Cash,	\$22,914 90 34 69
	\$22,949 59
Liabilities.	
Due depositors, Reserved profits,	\$21,108 27 1,841 32
	\$22,949 59

This savings bank, for a considerable period, loaned the greater part of its funds at five per cent. interest. This error in its management has been corrected. Regular dividends, at the rate of four per cent. per annum, have been declared in June and December of each year. The expenses have been small, amounting to only \$76 50 for the last current year. The Treasurer believes every debt due this institution to be perfectly secured. The last extra dividend of interest was in June, 1847. Another is to take place in June, 1852. There is a thorough examination by three of the Trustees once every six months. This savings bank was chartered in perpetuity, June 22, 1832. George W. Kittredge is President, and James M. Chapman is Treasurer and Clerk. None of the officers are indebted to the bank. The Trustees make the discounts. Present number of depositors, 118. ford is President, and Samuel Lord, Preasurer

EXETER SAVINGS BANK.

Its investments are made indestine direction of a committee

Located at Exeter. Examination April 13, 1852. Perpetual charter granted July 2, 1851. This institution has only very recently gone into operation. The sums deposited in it are yet small, but constantly increasing. The following was its position:

Means. Means was unique and a bitmood

Bank stock, Notes secured by real estate,	\$1,600 00 2,350 00
Bonds, Cash,	2,300 00 2,000 00 79 26
622,619 69	\$8,329 26

Liabilities.

Due depositors, \$8,428 00

This apparent deficiency is explained by the expenses incident to the commencement of its operations, and by mon-

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ey paid for coupons for the interest on bonds partially matured when the bonds were purchased, and soon to become due. Add to the above statement the interest earned, but not received by the bank, and a balance of means will be exhibited. No dividend has yet been made. The Trustees make the loans. Woodbridge Odlin is President, and Samuel H. Stevens, Treasurer. Joseph T. Gilman, J. G. Hoyt, John Lowe, jr., Abner Merrill, Horace C. Bacon and J. Gilman Smith constitute the Executive Committee. None of them are indebted to the institution. Present number of depositors, 117.

NEW IPSWICH SAVINGS BANK.

Located at New Ipswich. Examination April 19, 1852. Incorporated Jan. 3, 1849. Charter perpetual.

Means.

Notes and bonds, Cash, or one does does are own to shashivib	\$14,318 79
addition, there was an extra dividend in sing up to each depositor eight per cent for	\$14,818 14
Liabilities.	
Deposits, Profits on hand, Annual and XIII and X	\$14,639 65 178 49
investment, chosen from the Trustees. Wil-	\$14.818.14

Dividends of 2½ per cent. have been declared in January and July. Jeremiah Smith, President; John Preston, Secretary and Treasurer; Wm. W. Johnson, James Chandler and Supply Wilson, Executive Committee. None of these officers are indebted to the bank. It is thoroughly examined once every year by a committee of the Trustees. The discounts are made by the order of the Executive Committee. The whole expenses of the last current year were only \$15 09, the Treasurer having charged nothing for his services. Present number of depositors, 152.

Loans on real estate.

MANCHESTER SAVINGS BANK.

Located at Manchester. Perpetual charter, granted in 1846. Examination April 23, 1852, on which day the condition of the institution was as below:

Means.

\$16 040 00

bank stock,	4,520 00
205 shares bank stock,	20,639 08
Cash,	1,432 50
	\$42,631 58
Liabilities.	

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Due depositors, Profits on hand,	\$40,646 91 1,984 67
	\$42,631 58

Semi-annual dividends of two per cent. each are regularly declared. In addition, there was an extra dividend in July, 1851, making up to each depositor eight per cent. for the whole time, not being less than one year such depositors' money had been in the institution. Its securities, as now existing, yield an income of \$2863 60, or \$424 79 more than six per cent upon its deposits. It is earning, therefore. expenses paid, more that six per cent. Its loans are made by a committee of investment, chosen from the Trustees. William P. Newell is President; Nathan Parker is Treasurer; Daniel Clark, Herman Foster, David Gillis, Phineas Adams. George Porter, Nahum Baldwin and G. W. Pinkerton are Trustees. None of the officers are indebted to the bank. The Treasurer regards all the securities as perfectly good. The bank stock embraced in them is all in Boston banks, as follows: Bank of North America, \$4000; Traders' Bank, \$3500; Grocers' Bank, \$3000; Bank of Commerce, \$2000; Merchants' Bank, \$7000; Columbian Bank, \$1000. The present number of depositors is about 320. The Treasurer of this savings bank has given a well secured bond, in the

very sufficient sum of \$30,000. Bonds have been given by the Treasurers of all these institutions, but too small in some instances, however well secured, to be worthy of consideration as security to the depositors. Thus, the Treasurer of the Portsmouth Savings Bank, with mare than half a million of securities, easily convertible into cash, in his keeping, has given a bond in the sum of six thousand dollars only. The integrity of the officer referred to is most unquestionable. It is so, we trust, with every financial agent in the State, entrusted in the same way with the small savings with which health provides for sickness, strength for future infirmity, and youth for the wants of old age. But while our Legislatures continue to regard bonds as necessary safeguards for large and important pecuniary trusts for the public moneys even in the hands of the Treasurer of the State—they should see to it that they bear in amount some reasonable proportion to the trusts they are designed

The operations of the authorized savings banks of this State are limited in some instances by the competition of private, unauthorized savings banks, established by manufacturing corporations, and borrowing for their use the money of their operatives, at five per cent. per annum. An institution of this kind exists at Manchester, as an adjunct to a principal manufacturing corporation. Another exists, as I am informed, under like circumstances, at Nashua. Instituted without legal authority, they are beyond the jurisdiction of the Bank Commissioners. If an investigation of them, and an inquiry into the authority by which they are carrying on their operations, should at any time be thought expedient, the same legislative authority which created the corporations they are connected with, may very well direct the one and provide for the other.

JAMES M. RIX, Bank Commissioner.

Lancaster, June, 1852.

RAILROAD COMMISSIONERS' RE-PORTS.

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savings with which health peorides for sickness, strength for future infirmity, and youth for the wants of old age.

To His Excellency the Governor of the State of New Hampshire:

The undersigned, one of the Railroad Commissioners of the said State, having, agreeably to the provisions of the act, entitled "An act to render railroad corporations public in certain cases, and constituting a board of Railroad Commissioners," made examination into the condition of the following railroad corporations, and into the management of their affairs, to wit: the Cheshire Railroad Company, the Boston and Maine Railroad, the Northern Railroad, the Concord Railroad, the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Company, the Sullivan Railroad Company, the Wilton Railroad, and the Nashua and Lowell Railroad, reports as follows:

CHESHIRE RAILROAD COMPANY.

corporations they are connected with, may very well direct

The examination of this company was made up to May 1st, A. D. 1852.

The receipts, as per last report, from stock, bonds, and bills payable, had been \$2,680,337 86.

During the year, and since that report was made, the company have created 5500 shares of preferred stock, at \$100 per share, of which number four thousand nine hundred and

ninety shares have been subscribed for and taken up to this date. From the sales of the said preferred stock they have received the sum of \$228,619 00, which has been appropriated to the payment of their bonds and bills payable, as reported last year.

At this date the receipts may be stated as follows:

From stock, Standard Toda is bound	\$1,541,154 50
" bonds,	902,800 00
" bills payable,	103,537 09
" preferred stock,	228,619 00
Total receipts,	\$2,776,110 59

Cost of their Railroad and Equipments.

The cost of the road up to December 1st, last, to which time their report to the Legislature was made, had been \$2,777,843 89

From December 1st, last, to date, there has been added to that account the following items, to wit:

For	grading,	24 25
	superstructure,	356 37
66	stations, buildings and fixtures,	4,827 25
	fencing,	40 10
66	land and land damages,	3,649 00
066	road furniture,	9,274 30

The whole cost of their road and equipment to date amounted to \$2,796,015 16

The construction account of the company has not been closed.

The receipts of the company from January 1st, 1851, up to December 1st, 1851, (11 months,) had been as follows:

From	passengers,	\$101,657 78
	freights, I has solved been solved same	110,019 97
	U. S. mails,	5,251 36
66	rents, our prow and and and sol est	664 57

From express, "miscellaneous,	1,678 45 3,023 24
Total,	\$222,295 57

The receipts for December, January and February last, were \$52,978 65. The returns for the months of March and April had not been fully received at the Treasurer's office.

Expenditures.

The expenditures for operating the road from January 1st, 1851, to December 1, (11 months,) were \$99,225 68.

Amount of interest paid during the year was \$60,096 81. The expenditures for operating the road from December 1, last, to the date hereof, had been as follows, to wit:

For	repairs of road,	\$5,687 21
	wages of switchmen,	305 20
"	" watchmen,	375 00
"	removing ice and snow,	1,064 13
66	repairs of locomotives,	3,010 23
	" passenger cars,	1,847 44
66	" merchandise cars,	1,296 96
66	fuel,	7,842 92
"	oil,	222 79
"	waste,	102 01
"	expense of passenger department,	6,438 02
"	" freight "	9,344 82
"	gratuities and damages,	600 00
"	taxes and insurance,	223 78
"	repairs on buildings,	154 51
"	salaries, &c.,	2,684 71
"	incidental,	1,827 10
66	mail service,	227 45
"	repairs of gravel cars,	32 14
	Total,	\$42,692 42

The total earnings of the road for the said 11 months were \$222,295 57

The expenditures for the same time were, in-

\$1,006,337 09

cluding the aforesaid amount of interest p	aid, 159,322 49
Nett income for 11 months,	\$62,973 08
In debtedness.	
Bonds payable in July, 1852,	\$308,600 00
" July, 1854,	165,300 00
" January, 1855,	16,000 00
July, 1860,	412,900 00
Bills payable,	103,537 09

Total,

Available means.

The company have in cash on hand, and due on bills receivable and on preferred stock not fully paid in, \$319,250 03. They have also other property to quite an amount, which might be disposed of and the proceeds applied to the reduction of said indebtedness.

No dividends, except on the preferred stock, which amounted to \$43,320, have been paid. At a meeting of the stockholders, December 10, 1851, the Directors were almost unanimously authorized to create and issue five thousand five hundred shares of new stock at par of \$100 per share. At the same time it was voted that each and every shareholder should be entitled to subscribe for and take one new share for every three old shares which he might hold, and in that proportion for all his old stock—the whole to be called and treated as preferred stock, and to be entitled to priority of dividends over the old stock.

BOSTON AND MAINE RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to May 1, 1852.

The capital stock as per last report was \$4,155,700 00. There has been no increase since. The number of shares issued is 41,557.

The capital paid in as per last report was \$4,064,299 52 Increase since up to May 1, 1852,

12,675 00

Total,

\$4,076,974 52

Indebtedness.

The corporation have a funded debt of \$150,000, and there has been no increase thereof during the year. The debt is due to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts. Of that amount, the sum of \$100,000 is due August 1, 1857, with semi-annual interest at 5 per cent. The balance, \$50,-000, is due August 1, 1859, with semi-annual interest at 54 per cent. per annum.

Cost of the road.

The entire cost of the road and equipments in Maine, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, up to April 1, 1852, was \$4,100,481 33. The expenditures to the same date in New Hampshire were \$824,544 72. The construction account is still open.

Income.

During the year ending December 1, last, the income had been as follows, to wit:

From	passengers,	\$408,815	60
66	freights,	192,574	65
66	mails,	6,048	79
"	rents and miscellaneous,	15,206	85
"	Portland, Saco and Portsmouth Railroad,	10,449	26
	rotal,	\$633,095	15

The earnings since that date up to the present examination could not be fully ascertained, because the returns had not been all made; yet the following may be taken as substantially correct, to wit:

For December, " January,

\$49,575 23 41,363 29

For	February, Absolution Company	40,186 16
66	March,	54,466 82
066	dember I, last, for the year prior to that, lirqA	52,377 80
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Expenditures for working the road.

For	repairs of road, &c., and sol protection	\$54,521 79
- 66	bridges,	760 02
66	renewals of iron,	14,679 79
"		The party of man and
at s	keepers and signalmen,	14,299 91
"	removing ice and snow,	828 50
46	repairs of fences, gates and buildings,	1,691 33
"	locomotives,	21,475 86
66	passenger cars,	10,428 89
66	" merchandise cars,	4,184 33
66	gravel and other cars,	245 91
66	fuel, (wood and coal,)	65,597 68
- 66	ration do not now events the Great F, lio	7,787 83
66	waste, &c., for cleaning,	1,273 84
66	salaries, wages, &c., charged to pass. dep't.	
"	" " freight "	29,785 99
66 .	gratuities and damages,	1,193 67
"	taxes and insurance,	11,887 58
44	repairs of aqueducts, station buildings, fix-	Trion violes e
	tures, &c., and heartest sufficient mobile	5,777 59
66	salaries of President, Treasurer, Superin-	0,111.00
	tendent, law expenses, office expenses,	
	&c.	11,139 32
"	depreciation, AOMANAM AMERICA	8,758 09
	depicolation,	0,100 00
vel	Total, about any montaneous aidt le moite ai	\$313.826.40
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The expenditures for that part of the road in New Hampshire during the same time were \$29,570 56.

The expenditures for operating the road from December 1, last, may be stated as follows, to wit:

Fo	r December,	\$24,325 18
66	January,	24,680 28
"	February,	22,848 56
"	March, and see an bigg affection	23,632 23
06	April,	25,572 49

Dividends.

Up to December 1, last, for the year prior to that date two devidends, amounting to 7 per cent., have been made. The two amounted to \$290,899.

The earnings of the road for the year as aforesaid amounted to The expenditures and depreciation to	\$633,095 15 313,826 49
Balance, Dividends,	\$319,268 66 290,899 00
Surplus for the year, Surplus as per last report,	\$28,369 66 56,663 01
Total,	\$85,032 67

This corporation do not now operate the Great Falls and Conway Railroad.

Salaries.

The President has a salary of \$2500; the Treasurer has a salary of \$2000; the Superintendent has a salary of \$2000. The Superintendent's office expenses are \$1380.

NORTHERN RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to May 1st, 1852. The returns of the last six months' business had

not been fully made.

The whole number of shares issued by the Northern and Bristol Railroads, now united, as per last report, was 27,684. No increase thereof has been made since. The capital stock has been limited to the amount represented by said number of shares, at \$100 per share, which makes it now stand at \$2,768,400.

The amount actually paid in, as per last report, was \$2,767,138 00

During the year last past there has been col	- In a substantial
lected,	86 50
There is still due on stock accounts,	1,175 50
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Total, \$2,768,400 00

The construction account has been closed, and all charges and repairs of the road, and all new purchases and repairs of machinery, have been piad from the earnings of the road

for and during the year.

The cost of both roads, as per last report, was \$3,016,-633 71, and in order to reduce the same to the amount represented by the stock issue, as aforesaid, the company have credited the construction account with the sum of \$248,233 71, and charged the same to their income account, which makes the construction account now stand at \$2,768,400 00.

Income for the year.

From passengers,	\$105,770 51
" freight,	176,588 29
" mails,	5,458 56
" rents.	1,487 83
" express,	1,200 00
" interest,	2,257 06
Total,	\$292,762 25

Expenditures.

For passenger department,	\$11,910 97
" freight "	16,415 38
" locomotive "	54,302 27
" maintenance of way,	24,904 91
" miscellaneous,	10,438 96
" general expenses,	21,996 13
eriod of only eleven months, the	garantani in
Total,	\$139,968 62
Deduct transferred from repairs	of
bridges to contingent fund,	1,200 00

And it leaves for the year's expenses,

138,768 62

Surplus earnings,

\$153,993 63

Also dividends of June 1, 1851, and	teni mey edi garadi bercel 88,861 79 da el eledit 88,420 00 doT
Total paid out of surplus earnings,	147,281 79
Balance,	\$6,711 84
Less by contingent fund, \$30,000 00 Also Northern engine, 8,500 00 Also 150 tons iron, 6,651 57	The cost of 76,06,000 to 20,000 to 2
Total, Total to succession	0,089 84
Balance of last year's surplus, To which may be added for decrease of fuel and shop stock, Also for sundry small receipts,	10,577 66 stock of 4,377 62 2,651 30
and for editory small recorpts,	2,001 50
Total surplus,	\$24,318 42

Of this amount it is estimated that \$9000 is at present unavailable, and that a considerable part of the balance will soon be needed in making certain repairs, &c.

This corporation report to me no indebtedness.

CONCORD RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made to April 1st, 1852, and includes a period of only eleven months, the corporation by a vote of the stockholders having ordered the accounts for the year to be made up to that date instead of the 1st of May as formerly.

The capital stock consists of 29,700 shares. As per last report the amount paid in was \$1,485,000. During said time there has been no addition made to it, and it now re-

mains the same.

The total expenditures on the 1st of May,	
1851, were on construction account, \$1,390,59	7.86
During the said eleven months there has been	
added to it, 004 20210000000000000000000000000000000	3 67
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\$1,398,341 53 Total,

The unexpended balance of their capital, as per last report, amounted to \$94,402 14. It now, at this date, amounts to \$86,658 47. Of this amount the sum of \$50,000 has been loaned to the Portsmouth and Concord Railroad.

Receipts.

From passengers,	\$152,538 81
" freight,	174,665 16
"express,	3,551 23
" rents,	1,574 84
" mails,	4,378 63
" interest,	1,175 39

Total, val dans also so und bus court \$337,884 06

Expenditures.

For	repairs of road,	\$33,102	22	
"	waste, &c.,	1,086	46	all ada
66	oil, on arra	3,609	84	to an family
"	fuel,	35,624		HI OF HILEY
"	shop and other tools,	2,448		
66	salaries, &c.,	3,986	69	*
66	freight engine men, &c.,	5,044		
66	master of transportation,	4,309		
66	labor of loading and unloading n			
	chandise,	8,509	81	
66	station agents,	5,591		COLOW O L
66	passenger engine men, &c.,	6,088		
66	passenger conductors, &c.,	6,389	65	659
66	ticket masters and clerks,	3,239	75	
66	switchmen, &c.,	4,466	68	In Nov
46	repairs of freight cars,	5,534		
66	passenger cars,	4,447		
66	incidental passenger expenses,	2,900		
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Appendix.

For lost baggage, "repairs of station buildings, &c., general expenses, incidental freight expenses, repairs of locomotives, damage and loss of freight, taxes and insurance, repairs of bridges, removing ice and snow, gravel and other cars, suits at law, fencing, bad debts,	310 25 3,329 93 3,160 34 490 38 22,666 10 445 28 17,243 73 207 88 631 55 587 56 307 42 201 50 197 42	Total c. Tot	
Total, Total earnings, "expenditures, Balance of income, Two dividends out of said earnings months of three and four per cent. been paid, amounting in the whole	for said 11 each have	\$186,159 (337,884 (186,159 (\$151,725 (103,950 (06 06 00
This leaves a balance of From this balance they have paid to the Manchester and Lawrence, And to the Boston and Maine,	42,000 00 5,775 00		00
Total, As will appear by the last annual report, the corporation had then on hand a certain amount of funds called the "contingent fund," which amounted to, To which has been added the surplus (reported last) of, 4,218 9			
Total, In November last a dividend of tw	vo ner cen	\$43,803	09

In November last a dividend of two per cent. was made from this fund, amounting to the sum of \$29,700 00. The balance of \$14,103 09 is reported as invested in wood, oil and stock on hand.

At a meeting of the stockholders on the 16th day of February, A. D., 1852, it was voted that the Directors be authorized to enter into such an agreement for the partition of the through business over the different routes from Concord to Boston as they believe will ensure the best interests of the Concord Railroad.

Such agreement as is contemplated in the aforesaid vote, has, I believe, been made with and among the roads therein referred to, and they are all now acting on the principle of a

partition of such business.

WORCESTER AND NASHUA RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to March 1, 1852. The amount of capital stock authorised by the charters in this State and Massachusetts, is \$2,100,000.

The amount paid in both States up to March 1,

1851, as per the last report, was \$969,659 77
The amount paid in since, to date, has been, 303,388 32

Total, \$1,173,048 09

Since the date of the last examination the capital has been reduced \$83,789 77, by 2500 shares of the stock which had been subscribed for by the Norwich and Worcester Railroad Company, and which had been forfeited by said Norwich and Worcester Company not complying with the terms of the subscription. There had also been other forfeitures of stock, making in the whole that sum, so that the capital now amounts to \$1,089,258 32.

Indebtedness.

Total debt, March 1, 1851, Amount paid since, up to date, \$414,305 82 147,389 58

Present indebtedness,

\$266,916 24

Cost of road and equipments.

The amount of construction and equipments

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chusetts and New Ha	last report, in Massa- mpshire, was \$1,361,498 96 1851, to March 1, 1852, 28,175 71
Total, During the last year the has been reduced,	\$1,389,674 67 e construction account 79,702 15
Total in both St	ates, \$1,309,972 52
Amount expended in N.	H. up to March 1, 1851, \$120,578 27 since last report, 451 82
Total in N. H.,	\$121,030 09
The expenditures wer	re as follows, to wit:
Land and land damages settled, Fencing,	\$425.50 26.32
Total,	\$451 82
The amount of reduction count in N. H., the sa	me being a fair propor-
Which deducted from leaves that account no The construction accounts	w standing at \$116,092 17
been other forfollures	Income.
From passengers, " freights, " mails, " express, " rents, &c.,	\$85,689 08 63,205 45 2,893 00 1,500 00 1,747 63

Expenses.

For fuel,

Total,

stronginge fine not \$20,168 22

\$155,035 16

For	repairs of passenger cars,	2,599	86	
46	" freight and gravel cars,			
66	locomotives,			
66				
	freight department, and blag lo	10,097	19	
46	passenger "			
46	taxes and insurance,	676	62	
66	repairs of bridges,	88	90	
46	watchmen and switchmen,	2,058	26	
46	removing snow,	220		
46	repairs of fences,		04	
46	" road,	9,167		
				The ever
66	waste,	340		GAST F
66	oil,	1,751	61	
66	gratuities and damages,	68	00	
66		953	66	
44	salaries, office expenses, and mis-	OWS:	1101	be stated as
	cellaneous,	7,992	16	
				Comital stock
	interest,	17,911	82	
	William Town	UUUL A		
	Total,			97,734 98
				ESTIMATE SERVICE
	Balance of earnings,			\$57,300 18

No apportionment of the above expenses as between said

States has been yet made.

Since the last report, the corporation have obtained from the Legislature of Massachusetts authority to increase their capital by the addition of a sum not exceeding \$300,000. The act authorizing such increase, provides that each stockholder might subscribe for one share of the new stock for every five shares of the old he held, and in that proportion for all he might own. And it further authorized the Directors to deliver to such subscriber, upon payment of such subscription, a certificate for six shares—the whole six to be preferred, the old shares being first surrendered. Such preferred stock, it also provides, shall be entitled to a semi-annual payment of not exceeding six per cent. per annum, and that no dividend shall ever be made on the old stock, unless from a balance of earnings after the six per cent. on said preferred stock has been paid. Under these provisions, the whole number of shares preferred now stand at 14,676. Of the old stock there remains unpreferred 464.

Dividends.

The company made a dividend, July, 1851, of \$2 00 per share on all the old stock paid in in full; also, in Jan. 1852, a dividend of 2½ per cent. on all the preferred stock paid in in full and in part, amounting in the whole to \$30,958 06.

SULLIVAN RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to May 1, 1852.

The receipts of this corporation on account of construction, as reported to me, and as appears by their books, may be stated as follows:

Capital stock paid in,	\$500,000 00
Bonds due Oct. 1, 1853,	5,900 00
Old bonds, due April 1, 1854,	6,500 00
First mortgage bonds, due Jan. 1, 1855,	500,000 00
Second mortgage bonds, due Jan. 1, 1861,	126,700 00
Bonds overdue,	37,200 00
Bills payable, and an analysis avoids out to disent	83,100 00

Total receipts, \$1,259,400 00

At the time of the last examination, the corporation were constructing a bridge over the Connecticut river, at Bellows Falls, and a branch road to connect their main road with the Connecticut River Valley Railroad at that place, which has since that date been completed.

The entire road is now finished and fully equipped, and will cost, as near as can now be stated, (for the accounts are

not fully adjusted as yet,) about \$1,250,000.

Receipts for the year ending April 30, 1852.

From passenge	ers,	\$29,330 69
" freight,	to as at the bar that I have many	24,903 49
" mails,		2,322 00
" express,		500 00

From rents, miscellaneous, and the control of the c	3.061 46
Total, it is arouseful to Lucod, and to g	\$60,210 64
Expenditures for the same time	
For repairs of road, "" "bridges, fences, &c.,	173 39
" engines, " passenger cars,	2,585 50 975 52
" " freight cars, " wages of switchmen and watchmen, " " ongine and former	1.979 00
" conductors and brakemen,	2,250 00
" salaries of officers and superintendent and of depots, " office expenses,	312 10
" wood and oil,	5.384 80
" taxes and insurance, " miscellaneous,	2,031 61
Total, busieto ade la vus lo ademyaq	
The indebtedness of the corporation may be	den Tonh
stated to be Amount of debt funded,	639,100 00
Balance now due,	\$120,300 00
Available Means.	H Mondagagagan
Cash in hands of trustee, Notes and bills receivable, Second mortgage bonds,	\$8,926 63 20,910 67 123,300 00
Total,	\$153,137 30

The whole amount of their capital stock, as limited and fixed upon by the corporation, has been paid in, in accordance with the provisions of the second section of an act passed July 8, 1846, entitled "An act in amendment of the

laws relating to corporations," and a certificate thereof, signed by the President and Directors, was filed with the Town Clerk of Charlestown on the 11th day of July, 1851.

At a meeting of the board of Directors of this corporation, held at Boston, Sept. 26, 1851, it was voted that immediate possession be given to George Olcott, Esq., one of the Trustees for the holders of the mortgage bonds issued by the Sullivan Railroad Company, agreeably to a vote of the stockholders in said company, passed January 21, 1851, of all the engines, passenger, freight and other cars, of all the fuel, oil and waste, and other personal property of the company; also of all the machinery, stock and tools in the machine shop of said company; and the said Olcott be and he hereby is authorized, by himself or his agents, to collect and receive all money or moneys that may hereafter become due from either passengers or freight passing on or over said road, or from any other source, which money or moneys are by him to be applied to the following purposes, to wit:

1st. To the payment of all the current expenses of op-

erating the road;

2d. To the payment of the interest on all the bonds of the company;

3d. To the payment of any of the outstanding floating

debts of the company; and,

4th. To the payment of any dividend or dividends to the stockholders of said corporation that may be ordered by the

Directors of said company.

On the 29th day of September, 1851, the said George Olcott took possession of the property described in said vote, for the purposes therein expressed, and has continued in such possession up to this date.

WILTON RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to May 1, 1852.

The amount of capital stock, as per last annual report, was \$196,800 00

During the year since it has been increased 13,700 00

Total, \$210,500 00

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Whole amount paid in is " " unpaid is	\$206,259 00 4,241 00
Total, is an henerone line as bus a cost W	\$210,500 00
The amount of expenditures on account of construction, as per last report, was There has been expended the last year,	\$159,257 66 60,976 16
Total expenditures,	\$220,233 82
Amount expended as aforesaid, " paid in as aforesaid,	\$220,233 82 210,500 00
Balance,	\$11,733 82

The expenditures during the year have been as follows, to wit:

T	mount there has been novel notice since the line	# 10	PO.
	engineering,	\$542	
46		47,408	36
46	land and land damages,	6,048	40
66	general expenses,	1,909	82
	fencing,	2,590	00
46	depot buildings,	1,393	70
46 .	taxes and insurance,	794	93
44	printing and stationery,	61	92
66	Railroad Commissioners, selectmen, in laying		
	road, &c.,	226	50
	Total,	60,976	16

Receipts.

This road is operated by the Nashua and Lowell, and the following are the receipts as furnished to this road by that:

From passengers, freight, &c.,	\$21,137 36
Deduct running expenses,	9,317 00
And it leaves a balance of earnings of	\$11,820 36

Two dividends of \$3 per share, semi-annual, have been

made, one payable on the first day of November last, and

the other on the first day of June next.

Since the last report, the road has been opened from Milford to East Wilton, and is still operated as aforesaid, and upon very nearly the same terms as were reported last year.

NASHUA AND LOWELL RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to April 1, 1852, and was for 11 months.

Total cost of the road and equipments, \$651,214 88 The total capital paid in was, \$600,000 00

The balance of \$51,214 88, as per the cost of the road and equipments over the capital, was taken from the income, and is not represented in the stock account.

In the amount there has been no change since the last report, and the construction account has been closed.

Receipts for 11 months.

From passengers,	\$47,147 40
" freight,	60,585 65
" express,	1,015 27
" mails,	853 56
" rents,	1,917 29
" miscellaneous,	3,401 66
Total,	\$114,920 83

Expenditures for 11 months.

For fuel,	\$10,520 10
oil, bear and all Dallations, an algreen	1,348 52
" waste,	274 42
" superintendence,	1,375 00
" office expenses,	1,814 50
" conductors and brakemen,	2,671 76
" engine and firemen,	2,892 37
" switchmen and gate-keepers,	1,302 96

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For	stationmen, salabate and and more	2,497 88
"	merchandise and watchmen,	8,663 29
"	repairs of road,	6,222 79
066	freight cars,	1,448 12
66	passenger cars,	1,953 13
66	engines, of small collections	7,409 12
"	depots,	1,240 65
. 66	bridges,	79 81
	gates, fences, &c.,	428 77
66	advertising and stationery,	562 70
"	taxes and insurance,	1,708 03
"	gratuities and damages,	2,951 56
"	miscellaneous,	4,238 97
	Total,	\$61,604 35
Rec	eipts,	\$114.920.83
	penditures,	\$114,920 83 61,604 35
	Balance or net income,	\$53,316 48

Dividends.

Two dividends of 4 per cent. each have been made during said time, and amounted in the whole to \$48,000.

Net income,	\$53,316 48
Less dividends,	48,000 00
Surplus,	\$5,316 48

From the surplus there has been taken out and carried to the expense account of the Stony Brook Railroad the sum of \$2,538 69.

Surplus this year,	\$5,316 48
Deduct as aforesaid,	2,538 69
Balance,	\$2,779 79
Surplus as per last report,	5,581 29
Total surplus of this and last year,	\$8,359 08

The corporation have no indebtedness.

There is due it from the Portsmouth and Con	
cord Railroad,	\$12,000 00
They have stock in the Vermont and Boston	n a monagno acti
Telegraph Company amounting to	2,500 00
Total surplus as aforesaid,	8,359 08
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Total,	\$22,859 08

This corporation continue to operate the Wilton and Stony Brook Railroads as heretofore reported, and nearly upon the same terms.

\$22,859 08

Depreciation.

The Directors estimate that the renewals, as provided for in the annual expense account, will equal the depreciation. ASA P. CATE, Railroad Commissioner.

REPORT OF STEPHEN W. DEARBORN.

To His Excellency the Governor of the State of New Hampshire:

The undersigned, one of the Railroad Commissioners of the State, having, agreeably to the provisions of the act, entitled "An act to render railroad corporations public in certain cases, and constituting a board of Railroad Commissioners," made examination into the condition of the following railroad corporations, and into the management of their affairs, to wit: the Ashuelot Railroad, the Peterborough and Shirley Railroad Corporation, the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad, the Concord and Claremont Railroad Company, the Contoocook Valley Railroad, the New Hampshire Central Railroad Corporation, the Manchester and Lawrence Railroad Company, and reports as follows:

ASHUELOT RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation closes April 5, A. D.

By the charter of this road, the capital stock may consist of five thousand shares. This road is now operated under a lease by the Connecticut River Railroad Company. The substance of said lease was given in the report of 1850, for which they pay \$30,000 per annum.

The whole cost of the road, exclusive of its equipment,

was \$496,984 93.

The expenditures up to the time of the closing this report are as follows, to wit:

Engineering,	\$9,523 20
Land and fence,	33,926 30
Graduation,	161,529 43
Masonry,	56,901 40
Bridging,	36,152 54
Superstructure,	186,805 37
Stations,	14,037 80
Interest,	4,880 58
Expenses,	3,228 31
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\$506,984 93

Deduct from superstructure account, which was given in by the contractors to effect a settlement with the road,

10,000 00

\$496,984 93

The receipts of the corporation had been as follows, to wit:

Capital stock paid in full,	\$240,700 00
shares paid in part,	768 00
Bonds issued,	153,000 00
" pledged,	42,500 00
Nett income available to Oct. 1, 1852, after	dat bus bos I
paying taxes and all interest on bonds,	32,632 00
	\$469,600 00

Floating debts, as per leger accounts Land damages payable in stock, yet	, 28,609 00 unsettled, 2,500 00
Cost of the road, Receipts,	\$496,984 93 469,600 00
PETERBOROUGH AND SHIR	
The examination of this road close The receipts of this corporation has	es April 20, A. D. 1852. ad been—
Stock issued, Notes and bills payable, Earnings, balance of, Bonds issued, Assessments received, Less stock issued,	\$83,100 00 47,925 47 1,129 52 58,500 00 75,714 06 53,200 00 22,514 06
Due G. Barrett, Treasurer,	\$214,504 09
The disbursements had been as fol	Section
Repairs,	*3,240 82 2,038 35 2,051 38
Masonry, bridging and fencing, Coupons, Interest dividend, Grading and masonry account,	21,203 66 3,486 00 3,269 58 85,994 36

 Superstructure,
 54,649 96

 Salaries,
 5,507 00

 Land and land damages,
 9,907 27

 Engineering,
 10,789 82

Discount on bonds,

Less interest received do.,

\$214,504 09

7,893 00

451 58

This railroad company under the New Hampshire charter was organized in 1847, and completed from the line of the State of Massachusetts to within about one mile of Mason Village, and opened for travel on the 11th day of November, 1850. Since that time the bridge across the Souhegan river has been completed, and the trains, since January, 1852, have run up to Mason Village, where the road now terminates. The bridge across said river is about 600 feet in length, and spans the river at an elevation of about 90 feet above its bed, and cost about \$17,000.

The cost of the road for its whole length of ten miles, as appears by the Treasurer's books, will be about \$210,000, or a little rising \$21,000 per mile, after deducting \$4000 for two farms owned by this road, situated in the town of Ma-

By a vote of stockholders, the Directors were authorized to issue bonds of the corporation to an amount not exceeding \$75,000, and bonds have been issued to the amount of \$58,500, payable in five years.

This road is operated from the line of the State of Massachusetts by the Fitchburg Railroad Company, for which the corporation pay them ten dollars per day, and as by a statement made by that company to this road, the following amounts have been received from January 1, 1851, to January 1, 1852:

f'or passengers, "freight,	\$2,596 38 2,053 14
Total, Deduct cash paid for running,	\$4,649 52 3,520 00
Earnings after paying for running,	\$1,129 52

The President has a salary of \$1200, Treasurer \$500, and the Clerk of the corporation, who is also Clerk of the Directors, \$250 per annum.

stance of said lease was reported in the last report of 1851

CONTOCCOOK VALLEY RAILROAD.

Examination of this road was made up to May 1, 1952. The length of this road is 14 miles 3380 feet.

The sums expended in constructing the road are as fol-

lows:

Masonry, modern and bus arous exhi	\$1,410 00
Masonry,	5,125 95
Bridging, and to nother the day of the state of the	× 111 00
Engineering,	0.000 41
Depots, ment to dignet slot we all not have an	1010 07
Furniture,	2,510 51
Fencing, santambel della sum and bull and	20,110.00
Grading.	00,110 00
Interest and discount on bonds,	20,000 20
General expense,	16,566 32
General expense,	10,147 05
Land damages,	00 000 01
Superstructure, or beneat need with abridd	
Total expenditure,	\$222,402 01
Accounts due the corporation,	195 90
Cash on hand,	1,892 50
	\$225,107 81
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Liabilities of the corporation.

Genital steek neid in \$88,200	00
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Lanual Stock paid in	UU
First bonds, due July 1, 1001,	
First mortgage bonds,	
Second mortgage bonds.	30
Di Thoodore Brench	
3T	
Pierce & Minot,	00
	1100
\$225,107	81

For the last eighteen months, since the commencement of the lease to the Concord and Claremont Railroad, (the substance of said lease was reported in the last report of 1851,

by James W. Weel	ks, Railroad	Commissioner,) the	income
has been—		m a vote was passed	

has been—		
Gross amount received for freight April 30, 1852, Less proportion paid connecting roads,	ending \$17,353 95 9,368 20	Some angell some last some
Gross amount received for passengers 18 months ending April 30, 1852, Less proportion paid connecting	20,609 60	7,985 70
roads,	11,498 56	8,111 04
Nett receipts for passengers and i months ending April 30, 1852,	reight for 18	\$16,096 74
Cost of operating the road as f	follows:	
Paid for damage on merchandise, "freight expense, "passenger expense, "road repairs, "wood account, engine repairs, "road tools, "oil account, "general running expense	not, belance a second control of a second comporation books,	\$126 92 4,395 84 3,936 70 3,646 35 2,342 42 536 99 41 34 367 99 835 54
orporation was made up to April		\$16,250 19
Deduct stock on hand—		AGEL 1
100 pounds cotton waste, 20 gallons sperm oil, 570 cords of wood,	\$8 00 26 00 1,140 00	1,174 00
1,071 59 ing to company's dr. 300 00		\$15,076 19
Nett earnings for 18 months end	ing April 30,	\$1,020 55

At the last annual meeting of the stockholders of this corporation a vote was passed authorizing the Directors to issue second mortgage bonds on ten years, with interest semi-annually. According to this vote, sixty thousand dollars of their bonds have been issued.

The corporation have unsold 1st mort. bonds,	\$4,900 00
" 2d "	7,600 00
Cash on hand,	1,892 56
Notes due from sundry persons, and additional	495 90
Accounts, 00 200 00	266 98
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\$15,155 04

The corporation owe-

Theodore French, balance of account,	\$3,870	39
Notes to sundry persons,	2,067	42
Bonds due July 1, 1851,	8,300	00
Pierce and Minot, balance account,	170	00

\$14,407 81

Leaving a balance of available means, after paying what the corporation now owes, as per Treasurer's books, 747 63

NEW HAMPSHIRE CENT'RAL RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to April 1, 1852.

Receipts.

For stock,	\$255,220 25
" bonds,	62,700 00
" notes payable,	228,385 80
Income of road,	1,071 59
Due on personal accounts bring	to company's dr., 300 00

\$547,677 64

Appendix.

Expenditures.

For	right of way,	\$27,079 46
66	engineering,	15,491 31
66	officers and agents,	12,093 08
"	grading,	161,203 44
. 66	bridging,	34,526 44
66	masonry,	39,284 35
"	attorneys and counsellors,	655 60
66	depots,	5,108 13
66	fencing,	2,878 48
"	furniture,	40,247 02
66	incidentals and Railroad Commissioners,	1,402 23
"	iron,	111,215 12
"	office expenses,	386 35
66	preliminary expenses,	358 70
66	road crossings,	364 49
"	sleepers,	13,355 74
46	laying superstructure,	8,741 44
	Treasurer's office expenses,	511 43
66	trestling and water fixtures, frogs and switch-	
		5,689 91
Dur	es,	
	e on personal accounts, bring to company's	1,856 32
	redit,	1,406 00
FOI	turn table,	
"	machine shop,	2,096 23
"	running account,	2,855 78
46	tools,	28 26
	sundries,	999 25
"	taxes,	363 92
"	Henniker stage company,	864 18
"	shop furniture,	265 72
"	station furniture,	100 44
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		\$491,418 82
	interest on loans, \$51,570 61	
	discount on bonds, 3,167 15	
"	interest on stock, 1,292 36	
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Wh	cole cost of road up to April 1, 1852,	547,448 94
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Cash in hands of Treasurer,

228 70

\$547,677.64

Running Department.

The receipts of the running department during the time from the first of August, 1851, to the first of April, 1852, are as follows, viz:

For passengers, "freight, "express,	\$7,923 57 9,374 81 150 00
288032 200323111	\$17,448 38
The amount paid out by Superintendent during the above named time for running expenses,	

penses,

Bills for freight due April 1, 1852,

Balance in cash,

\$15,083 05

197 14

2,168 19

\$17,448 38

Amount of Bonds.

\$62,700 00
129,000 00
8,300 00
\$200,000 00

At a meeting of the Directors of the New Hampshire Central Railroad, holden at the office of the Treasurer, in Manchester, it appears by the record of the clerk, the following votes were passed:

Voted, That Hon. David Steele be allowed one thousand dollars for endorsing company notes.

Voted, That Moses Sawyer be allowed one thousand dol-

lars for endorsing company notes.

Voted, That Abner Hoit, be allowed one thousand dollars for endorsing company notes.

Voted, That James Straw be allowed five hundred dollars for endorsing company notes.

Voted, That Charles Stinson be allowed forty-two dollars

for endorsing company notes.

Voted, That Edward Crane be allowed two and a half per cent. for endorsing all notes of the company that he has endorsed, and two and a half per cent. commission on all notes of the company that he has negotiated, deducting therefrom the amount due the company on his stock at the time it was due, and also charging him the same rate of interest on his stock that was paid on the notes he negotiated after said stock was due.

Voted, That Moses A. Hodgdon be allowed five thousand dollars for endorsing company notes, deducting therefrom the same rate of interest on the amount due on his stock, from the time it was due, that has been paid on his loans to the company.

The salaries are for Agent or Superintendent, \$1200 per annum; Treasurer, \$500; and Directors four dollars per day

when in employ of the company.

BOSTON, CONCORD AND MONTREAL RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made up to April 1, 1852.

Capital stock, old shares, preferred,

\$1,049,759 90 340,842 00

\$1,390,601 90

Debt—bonds issued, \$386,200 00

Floating—deducting cash on hand and funds in Boston and New

York, 151,429 95

Dividends and outstanding coupons unpaid,

2,303 03

539,932 98

Expenditures.

Construction, including grading, masonry, bridging, superstructure, land damages, depots, engineering, and general expenses, \$1,612,626 67

Equipments.

Cars, engines, machinery and tools, Interest, including all interest credited to stockholders from 1846 to 1851, all discount on bonds, interest on loans and floating debt, after deducting the income of portions of the road that have been from time to time in use, Stock of wood and oil and materials, Advances to contractors, Notes receivable, Sundry small accounts,	\$160,337 40 110,594 52 8,869 01 1,300 00 24,528 91 2,528 42
Due from delinquent stockholders,	9,748 95

\$1,930,534 88

Income from Feb. 1, 1851, to April 1, 1852.

The total gross receipts from all sources, viz:

Passengers, freight, mails, express, rents, &c., \$200,261 10
From which was paid to the Concord, Nashua,
Maine, Lowell, and other roads, for transporting cars and freight,

59,056 62

\$141,204 48

Deduct expenses of operating.

For wood, oil, labor, expenses, and repairs of alkinds,	68,880 80
Net income, deducting expenses, The taxes payable to the State were,	\$72,323 68 3,002 60
Net income for 14 months,	\$69,321 08

This road has been opened from Plymouth to Warren, a distance of twenty miles, since the last report, making seventy-one miles from Concord, its lower terminus. It is expected that the road will be completed to Wells River by the first of November next, where it connects with the White Mountains Railroad, near the Passumpsic Railroad, a distance of twenty-two miles from Warren. The corporation, in June last, made contract with Warren H. Smith, Esq., to complete the entire road from Warren to Wells River, for three hundred and forty-five thousand dollars. By his contract Mr. Smith agrees to build and complete the entire road bed, including bridging, finishing of grade around depots, track laying, &c., for the sum specified, the company providing for land damages, erecting depots, buildings and fences, and furnishing the materials for the superstructure.

MANCHESTER AND LAWRENCE RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made to March 1, 1852. The whole amount of capital stock consists of 8000 shares of \$100 each.

The receipts of the corporation had been-

From capital stock,	\$794,492 50
Notes payable,	90,059 69
	\$884,552 19
The amount charged to construction was,	\$837,691 51
Notes receivable,	38,327 33
Cash on hand,	8,533 35
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The road has been operated since the first day of November, 1850, by the Concord Railroad corporation, under a lease of five years from that date. (The Treasurer being authorized by a vote of the Directors, at a meeting of the board on the 17th day of January, 1851,) had paid \$7,310 for preferred stock in exchange for stock without preference. At a

meeting of the Directors of this corporation, Feb. 20, 1852, it was voted that the contract made with the Concord, Nashua and Lowell, Boston and Lowell, and Boston and Maine Railroad corporations, be approved. I am unable to report the conditions or substance of the above named contract, the Treasurer not having an original or copy of the same. I am informed by the Treasurer's Clerk that said contract is to go into effect, April 1, 1852.

The earnings and expenses of operating this road I am also unable to report, as there has been no return made to the Treasurer of this road by the Concord Railroad corpo-

ration.

The officers of this corporation receive no compensation for their services excepting the Treasurer, he being Clerk of the corporation and Directors, receives \$500 per annum.

CONCORD AND CLAREMONT RAILROAD.

The examination of this road was made up to April 1, 1852. This road runs from Concord to Bradford, a distance of $27\frac{16}{100}$ miles.

The total expenditures for construction and equipment of the road, according to the company's books at the time of

the examination, had been \$641,406 76.

The disbursements had been as follows:

General expenses,	\$37,907 61
Engineering,	8,629 42
Construction stock,	2,851 09
Grading and masonry,	156,699 80
Land damages,	29,156 21
Real estate,	1,567 02
Bridging,	21,585 16
Depot buildings,	29,285 18
Sleepers,	12,868 50
Engines,	30,748 44
Fencing,	10,564 42
Freight cars,	38,581 33
Passenger cars,	9,389 45
	629 41
Hand cars,	0.00

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9,469 86

22,083 57

Nett earning of the road for one year, to April 30, 1852,

24,175 39

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S. W. DEARBORN, Railroad Commissioner.

REPORT OF JAMES W. WEEKS.

To His Excellency the Governor of the State of New Hampshire:

In pursuance of the requirements of the laws of the State of New Hampshire, the undersigned, one of the Railroad Commissioners, in the early part of May last, visited and made personal examination into the affairs of the several Railroad corporations embraced in the following statements. He therefore submits to your Excellency the following

REPORT:

The following is an abstract of the statements of the Treasurers and other officers of the corporations, tested by a careful examination of their books and papers:

COCHECHO RAILROAD.

This corporation had received on the 4th day of May, 1852—

From capital or old stock paid in, "preferred stock,

\$208,361 31 197,578 47

From bonds,	94,200 00
" notes payable,	197,123 09
	\$697,262 87
Their expenditures had been to the period	d above named—
For land and land damages,	\$44,493 87
" masonry and bridging,	47,765 37
" stations and buildings,	23,001 37
" fencing,	10,435 37
" engines and cars,	39,688 14
" superstructure, including iron,	191,383 97
" interest and exchange,	26,748 20
" general expenses,	16,977 44
" grading,	232,951 12
" engineering,	19,389 00
discount on bonds,	8,789 50
	\$661,623 35
Leaving unexpended in the hands of the	e company—
	\$9,929 84
Notes receivable,	17,561 48
Balance due on account,	8,148 20
Cash on hand,	661,623 35
THE AND CONCORD REPORTED	\$697,262 87
The gross income of the road had been,	from Oct. 1, 1850,

The gross income of the road had been, from Oct. 1, 1850, to Dec. 1, 1851, after paying the Boston and Maine Railroad—

From freight,	\$15,962 41
" passengers,	16,600 41
" miscellaneous,	1,725 83
Imsechaneous,	\$34,288 65

The running expenses for the same time had been as follows:

been as follows.	
For stations,	\$3,064 69
" running trains,	3,904 89
" repairs,	4,281 18
" oil and fuel,	3,573 14
" taxes and insurance,	2,185 91
taxes and insulance,	

For removing snow, "passengers and freight, general expense, accidents, advertising,	35 83 62 31 1,543 70 324 01 43 00
	\$19,018 66
Leaving net income of road.	\$15 269 00

\$15,269 99

In the foregoing expense is included the cost of running a gravel train of thirteen cars about four months, and the extra expense incident to carrying the iron and materials for that portion of the road beyond Farmington.

The earnings of the road have been appropriated to pay-

ing the interest on the debts of the corporation.

The road is now open for the use of the public to Alton Bay, a distance of 28 miles. The new portion, however, is not wholly complete, although it has been in operation since the early part of the fall of 1851. To put this in perfect condition, according to the estimate of the agent, will cost about \$10,000, which sum may be raised by the sale of land not necessary for the use of the road, which it became necessary to purchase in order to obtain land for depots and the right of way.

PORTSMOUTH AND CONCORD RAILROAD.

The examination of this corporation was made to May 1, 1852.

The receipts of the company had been-

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From	capital stock paid in,	\$370,267 46
"	bonds for which the road is mortgaged	333,400 00
"	income of road to May 1, 1852,	21,288 82
"	rents,	117 70
	an other indebtedness on notes and ac-	
65	counts brought upon the books,	159,357 88
A	other indebtedness of the company, not or	
66	the books, (estimated,) funded debt,	10,000 00
	randou debt,	102,648 08

\$997,409 96

The expenditures had been-

land and land damage,		
	222,961	81
construction, including salaries, engineer-		
	36,076	45
	48,763	13
	33,355	06
	1,876	12
expenses of running road,	18,765	00
	1,283	12
	36,933	01
h on hand,	235	42
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	construction, including salaries, engineering and general expense, furniture, debts due the road, discount on bonds sold, commission, expenses of running road, taxes, interest paid, h on hand,	iron, construction, including salaries, engineering and general expense, 544,504 furniture, debts due the road, discount on bonds sold, commission, expenses of running road, taxes, interest paid, 222,961 544,504 544,504 547,63 36,976 48,763 48,763 48,763 48,765 1,876 1,283 36,933

There has been issued and pledged as collateral for the payment of certain notes which have been included in the foregoing statement of liabilities of the road—

Capital stock, Bonds of the company, Preferred stock, to bear 6 per cent.,	\$67,200 00 14,000 00 10,000 00
	\$91,200 00

The gross receipts of the road for passengers and freight for the year ending May 1, 1852, were \$16,950 11. The running expenses for the same time were estimated at \$45 a

day, amounting to \$14,585 00.

The entire length of this road, when completed, will be 47 miles, 23 of which is now in operation. The grading for the balance is nearly complete, the iron is on hand, and the company hope to run their cars through to Concord early the present season.

EASTERN RAILROAD.

This road is leased to the Eastern Railroad in Massachu-

setts, as reported by Mr. Currier last year. By the terms of this lease, the dividends of profits earned are to be divided upon the stock of the roads, in proportion to their respec-

tive capitals paid in.

The entire cost of this road and its equipment has been \$504,909 62, of which \$492,500 00 was from stock paid in, leaving the indebtedness of the company \$12,409 62, which may be paid at any time desirable, by the sale of real estate owned by the corporation and not necessary for the operation of the road.

The whole number of shares of stock in this road, owned

in the State of New Hampshire, is 1704.

There have been two meetings of the Directors the past year—one in July, 1851, and the other in January, 1852—both for the purpose of declaring dividends from the amount received of the Eastern Railroad in Massachusetts. The amount received was \$39,400 00, and the dividends declared were each four dollars on each share, making the annual income of the road eight per cent., or eight dollars on each share.

GREAT FALLS AND CONWAY RAILROAD.

This corporation had received, April 1, 1852-

From capital stock actually paid in,	\$105,914 50
" preferred stock, to bear 8 per cent.,	36,474 29
" notes and accounts constituting the flo	at-
ing debts of the company,	64,288 15
" net earnings of the road,	4,425 73
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The expenditures at that time were-

For land, land damage and fencing,	7	\$23,886 61
" graduation and masonry,		68,548 74
" station buildings and fixtures,		6,295 75
" superstructure, including iron,	PHS	77,105 55
" engineering and general expense,		10,943 84
" furniture of road,		16,285 08

For discount and interest, 6.709 07 " taxes and insurance, Cash on hand.

668 93 659 10

\$211,102 67

In the report of Mr. Currier, of last year, there was reckoned among the receipts of the company \$7500 received of the Cochecho Railroad. This sum has been carried on the books of the corporation, by the Treasurer, to the credit of engineering and general expense, land damage and buildings and fixtures. Seven thousand stands to the credit of engineering and general expense, \$320 to land damage, and \$180 to buildings and fixtures, making those several items of expenditure show so much less than they would did the above named sum stand as last year.

There is due the stockholders on scrip bearing interest.

\$3.814 67.

The whole number of shares of capital stock subscribed was 1323; of preferred stock, 494; which shows there was still due on capital stock, \$26,385 50, and \$12,925 71 on preferred, which last is thought to be available, but the first

is probably not.

The Boston and Maine Railroad company operated the road for this corporation from March 6, 1849, to Jan. 1, 1851. For this, this company paid the B. & M. company 71 cents per mile for miles run from said March 6 to Jan. 1, 1850, and 50 cents per mile for miles run from Jan. 1, 1850, to Jan. 1. 1851. During this time, the receipts of the road did not pay its running expenses into \$303 37. For the last fifteen months prior to April 1, 1852, the gross receipts of the road from passengers and freight were \$13,147 40. The running expenses for the same time were \$8,621 67, leaving net earnings, \$4,425 73.

The Legislature has authorized the company to issue \$100,000 in bonds. The corporation has voted to issue the

same, but none have been sold.

ATLANTIC AND ST. LAWRENCE RAILROAD.

The charter of this company simply gives power to the Atlantic and St. Lawrence Railroad company in the State of Maine to make an extension or prolongation of their road in that State through the State of New Hampshire, so as to enable them to form a connection with the St. Lawrence and Atlantic Railroad from Montreal, on the northern boundary of the State of Vermont. Consequently they have no separate organization in this State. In consequence of the foregoing, and that the whole road in this State was being built upon contract, and no portion completed to the acceptance of the company, I was in some doubt how far the requirements of the law would authorize me to investigate their concerns.

The whole cost of the road and fixtures to South Paris, a distance of 47½ miles from Portland, was, July 1, 1851, \$1,642,214 19. This includes a large amount of valuable wharf property in Portland, as well as a considerable amount of other property, at present not necessary for the business of the road. Since that date, the expenditures on this portion of the road remain about the same. Above South Paris, a distance of somewhat over 100 miles, to Canada line, the

road is being built by contract.

The terms of the contract with John M. Wood & Co., are that they construct the whole road from South Paris to the boundary line of Canada, passing through New Hampshire and Vermont, in all respects ready for equipment, including the right of way, fencing, grading, masonry, bridging, superstructure and rails, with necessary turnouts and sidetracks, the whole to be thoroughly finished; the company to make the surveys and locate the road. The work to be done under the supervision of the engineers employed by the corporation. Messrs. Wood & Co. are to receive \$26,200 per mile, one-half payable in cash, one-fourth in bonds of the company, payable in 15 years, and the balance in stock of the company at its par value.

It is estimated that the entire cost of the road and its equipment will be, above South Paris, \$30,000 per mile.

The length of road in operation in this State is about 10 miles; that in progress of construction 44 1-6 miles, making the entire length in this State 54 1-6 miles; and the point

of crossing the Connecticut river into Vermont, 135½ miles from Portland. An additional portion of the road will be opened for the use of the public in a few days, from Gorham to Northumberland, a distance of about 31 miles. The balance of the road from Northumberland to the mouth of the Nulhegan river, on the line of the State of Vermont, is nearly or quite ready for the superstructure.

From the foregoing it will appear that when the road is completed, the expenditure in this State will not vary materially from \$1,620,000. It is estimated by the President of the corporation that the entire cost of the road and furniture from Portland to Canada line will be \$4,700,000.

The company had received, July 1, 1851-

From capital stock paid in, "sale of city of Portland bonds, bonds of road, all other sources,	\$1,068,419 40 $1,125,000$ 00 $365,000$ 00 $422,229$ 36
	\$2,980,648 76
Their expenditures have been,	2.826 175 38

A considerable portion of this sum was an advancement to the contractors.

The reliable means for the completion of the road, aside from the stock to be taken by John M. Wood & Co., are expected to be obtained from the sale of the bonds of the city of Portland and the bonds of the corporation.

The company had received, Jan. 1, 1852, for the preceding year—

From passengers and freight, " mails, " rents,	\$100,409 77 1,628 50 3,117 97
	\$105,156.24

Their running expenses for the same time \$45,918 99, leaving the net earnings of the road for the year ending Jan. 1, 1852, \$59,237 25.

The average expense per mile for running trains during the last named period, was 44,007 cents.

JAMES W. WEEKS, Railroad Commissioner.

RAILROAD REPORTS.

CHESHIRE RAILROAD.

Return of the Cheshire Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, chap. 953, eleven months, from January 1, 1851, to November 30, 1851.

\$2,250,000 00 Capital stock, 550,000 00 Increase of capital since last report, 1,508,794 50 Capital paid in per last report, Capital paid in since last report, 32,360 00 Total amount of capital stock paid in, 1,541,154 50 1,036,400 00 Funded debt, per last report, Funded debt paid since last report, none. Funded debt, increase of, since 12,700 00 last report,

Total present amount of funded debt, Floating debt, per last report, 134,143 36
Floating debt paid since last report, 51,723 21

Floating debt, increase of, since last

Total present amount of floating debt, (cash on hand deducted,)

Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, $6\frac{1}{8}$. Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year, viz: January, \$1,164,663 24; February, \$1,173,966 36; March, \$1,167,291 14; April, \$1,168,272 87; May, \$1,159,956 31; June, \$1,159,903 66; July, \$1,186,102 85; August, \$1,168,129 08; September, \$1,160,656 86; October, \$1,153,350 24; November, \$1,131,520 15.

82,420 15

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per last report, \$1,482,754 92

For graduation and masonry paid during the past year, 4,939 39

Total amount expended for graduation and masonry, For wooden bridges, per last report, For wooden bridges paid during	1,487,694 31
Total amount expended for wooden bridges, For superstructure, including iron,	41,380 38
per last report, 461,507 02 For superstructure, including iron, paid during the past year, 4,661 02 Total amount expended for superstructure, in-	
cluding iron, For stations, buildings and fix- tures, per last report, 60,394 89	466,168 15
For stations, buildings and fix- tures, paid during the past year, 5,708 21 Total amount expended for stations, buildings	
For land, land damages and fences,	66,103 10
For land, land damages and fences, paid during the past year, Total amount expended for land, land dam-	
ages and fences, For locomotives, per last report, For locomotives, paid during the	107,719 20
past year, 14,793 03 Total amount expended for locomotives.	82,502 34
For passenger and baggage cars, per last report, 16,000 00 For passenger and baggage cars,	
paid during the past year, none. Total amount expended for passenger and baggage cars, For merchandise cars, per last re-	16,000 00
For merchandise cars, paid during the past year, 49,946 77 4932 50	
Total amount expended for merchandise cars, For engineering, per last report, 46,227 13. For engineering, paid during the	54,879 27
32	

62 50 past year, 46,289 63 Total amount expended for engineering, For agencies and other expenses, 408,039 41 per last report, For agencies and other expenses 1,068 10 paid during the past year, Total amount expended for agencies and oth-409,107 51 er expenses, Total cost of road and equipments, \$2,777,843 89

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $53_{\overline{1000}}^{646}$ miles. Length of single main track, 53-646 miles. Length of double main track, none.

Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, none.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, $5\frac{25}{100}$ miles.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 60 pounds.

Weight of rail per yard in branch roads; specify the different weights per yard, none.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, 59 664 feet, $14\frac{9}{10}$ miles.

Maximum grade, with its length in branch roads, none.

Total rise and fall in main road, 2377 feet. Total rise and fall in branch roads, nothing.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 955 feet, 711 feet long.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in branch roads, nothing.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 3152° 18'. Total degrees of curvature in branch roads, nothing. Total length of straight line in main road, $31\frac{28}{100}$ miles.

Total length of straight line in branches, none.

Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 1514 feet. Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 425 feet. Aggregate length of stone and iron bridges, none.

Whole length of road unfenced on both sides; all fenced.

Number of public ways crossed at grade, 39. Number of railroads crossed at grade, none.

Remarks, none.
Way stations for express trains, none.
Way stations for accommodation trains, 6.
Flag stations, 6.
Whole number of way stations, 6.
Whole number of flag stations, 6.

Doings during the year.

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Miles run by passenger trains,	81,728
Miles run by freight trains,	93,482
Miles run by other trains,	10,797
Total miles run,	186,007
Number of passengers carried in the	e cars, 97,278
Number of passengers carried one r	nile, 3,671 424
Number of tons of merchandise car	ried in the cars, 78,308
Number of tons of merchandise car	ried one mile 3 500 651
Number of passengers carried one	nile, to and
from other roads,	3,209,093
Number of tons of merchandise carr	ied one mile.
to and from other roads,	3,403,464
Rate of speed adopted for express	passenger trains, includ-
ing stops, none.	O TABLE SUR TO TOOK TO
Average rate of speed actually atta	ined by express passen-
ger trains, including stops and det	entions, none
Rate of speed adopted for accommo	dation trains, 25 miles
Rate of speed actually attained by	accommodation trains
including stops and detentions, 24	1 miles.
Average rate of speed actually attai	ned by special trains in-
cluding stops and detentions, none	a.
Average rate of speed adopted for	freight trains including
stops and detentions, 10 miles.	respire trains, metaamig
Estimated weight in tons of passens	per cars (not
including passengers,) hauled one	mile, 1,916,689
Estimated weight in tons of merc	handise care
(not including freight,) hauled on	
() madica on	e mile, 6,036,880

Expenditures for working the Road.

For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, \$11,962 93
For repairs of wooden bridges, 131 87

For renewals of iron, including laying down,	122 65
For wages of switchmen, average per month, \$26	6, 1,335 95
For wages of watchmen, average per month, \$2	5, 917 42
Number of men employed, exclusive of those	
Number of men employed, exclusive of those	
engaged in construction, 121.	
For removing ice and snow, (this item to in-	
clude all labor, tools, repairs, and extra steam	
power used,)	557 66
For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signal-	
men, gate-keepers, switchmen, tool-houses,	87 63
men, gate-keepers, switchmen, toor neases,	
6	\$15,116 11
Total for maintenance of way,	\$ 10,110 L1

Motive Power and Cars.

For repairs of locomotives,	\$7,467		
For repairs of passenger cars,	3,206		
For repairs of merchandise cars,	3,569		
For repairs of gravel and other cars,	215	13	
Total for maintenance of motive pow	ver		
and cars,			\$14,458 59
Number of engines, 11.			
Number of passenger cars, 6.			
Number of baggage cars, 4.			
Number of merchandise cars, 73 eigh	t wheel,	14	
four wheel—160 four wheel.			
Number of gravel cars, 19.			nector units.
Miscellaneous	bon kgo		

For fuel used by engines during the		
eleven months,	\$16,334	64
For oil used by cars and engines,	3,223	12
For waste and other material for	dro 6 3 d Vi	
	594	54
cleaning,	OUT	01
For salaries, wages and incidental		
expenses, chargeable to passenger	dgood go	
department,	12,459	80
For salaries, wages and incidental		
expenses, chargeable to freight		
	17,000	28
department,		
For gratuities and damages,	610	51
For taxes and insurance,	7,859	11
r or takes and modiance,	,,	

\$222,295 57

For ferries, none. For repairs of station buildings, fixtures, furniture, For interest, balance for 11 months, For amount paid other companies as rent for the use of their roads, specifying each company and the amount to each, \$10,666 paid Vt. and Mass. R. R. Co., and included in above items. For salary of President, \$1000. For salary of Treasurer, \$1500. All other expenses not included in the foregoing items, Total miscellaneous,	11,118 51 129,747 79 oad, \$159,322 49
In some during the	the sound states are
Income during the	year.
For passengers:— 1—On main road, including branches owned by company, 2—To and from other roads, specifying what, and amount from each, Fitchburg, Vt. and Mass., Sullivan, Vt. Central, Rutland and Burlington, Connecticut and Passumpsic,	\$13,657 07 88,000,71
For freight:	
1—On main road and branches owned by company, 2—To and from other connecting roads, and amount from each,	10,197 04 99,822 93
U. S. mails,	5,251 56
Rents,	664 57
From all ather sources; express, \$1,-	Began seed the cores.
678 45, miscellaneous, \$3,023 24,	4,701 69
ra ma	10,617 82

Total income,

Net earnings, after deducting expenses, \$62,973 08.

Dividends.

Per cent. total, none. Surplus not divided, Surplus last year,

\$62,973 08 49,215 43

Total surplus,

\$112,188 51

Number of free passengers the last year, viz.

Seven objects of charity, and several persons looking for lost baggage, and cattle, have been carried over the road.

The above return is made to Nov. 30, that being the time to which all the accounts of the company are made up on their books, and it would be somewhat inconvenient to piece out each account for the succeeding month. Hereafter the accounts will be so arranged as to comply strictly with the form of the return.

THOMAS THACHER, THOMAS M. EDWARDS, HIRAM HOSMER, EPHRAIM MURDOCK, Jr., GEORGE HUNTINGTON, S. HALE.

State of New Hampshire, Cheshire, ss., May 28, 1852.

Then the said Thomas Thacher, Thomas M. Edwards, Hiram Hosmer, Ephraim Murdock, jr., George Huntington, and Salma Hale, personally appearing before me, made oath that the foregoing return by them subscribed is, in their belief, true.

PHINS. HANDERSON, Justice of Peace.

CONCORD AND CLAREMONT RAILROAD.

Return of the Concord and Claremont Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, Chap. 953.

\$400,000 00 Capital stock, 43,834 88 Increase of capital since last report, Capital paid in per last report, \$266,031 75 43,834 88 Capital paid in since last report, Total amount of capital stock paid in, 309,866 63 100,000 00 Funded debt, per last report, Funded debt paid since last report, nothing. Funded debt, increase of since last 164,700 00 report, 264,700 00 Total present amount of funded debt, Floating debt, per last report, 152,752 94 Floating debt paid since last report, 108,912 80 Total present amount of floating debt, 43,840 14 Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 9 and 10 per cent. Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year, don't know.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per last \$155,973 32 report, For graduation and masonry paid during the year, 993 27 Total amount expended for graduation and ma-\$156,966 59 sonry, For wooden bridges, per last report, 19,469 51 For wooden bridges paid during the 2,358 91 past year, Total amount expended for wooden bridges, 21,828 42 For superstructure, including iron, 167,072 96 per last report, For superstructure, including iron, 1,284 64 paid during the past year, Total amount expended for superstructure, in-162,357 60 cluding iron,

For stations, buildings and fixtures, per last report, 27,970 13	
per last report, 27,970 13 For stations, buildings and fixtures,	
paid during the past year, 1,946 80	
Total amount expended for stations, buildings	
and fixtures,	29,916 93
For land, land damages and fences,	25,510 55
per last report, 40,016 70	
For land, land damages and fences,	
paid during the past year, 3,063 25	
Total amount expended for land, land damages	
and fences,	43,079 95
For locomotives, per last report, 30,740 34	dela beleno de
For locomotives, paid during the	
past year, 39 50	
Total amount expended for locomotives,	30,779 84
For passenger and baggage cars, per	Flyaking del
last report, 9,750 89	
For passenger and baggage cars, paid	
during the past year, 2,989 46	
Total amount expended for passenger and bag-	
gage cars,	12,740 39
For merchandise cars, per last report, 33,639 75	ond Punkt
For merchandise cars, paid during	
the past year, 11,660 38	
Total amount expended for merchandise cars,	45,300 13
For engineering, per last report, 8,629 42	
For engineering, paid during the	
past year, nothing.	
'Total amount expended for engineering,	8,629 42
For agencies and other expenses, per	
last report, 29,978 34	
For agencies and other expenses,	Miles House
paid during the past year, 7,447 86	
Total amount expended for agencies and other	Hely 1919
expenses,	37,426 20
The second second second second	
Total cost of road and equipment, including in-	212 122 122
terest and discount on bonds,	618,406 77

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, 29 miles, 264 rods, 10 feet.

Length of single main track, 27.16 miles.

Length of double main track, none.

Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, none.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, 23 miles.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 50 lbs.

Weight of rail per yard, specify the different weights per yard, none.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, 63.36 feet, 2.42 miles.

Maximum grade, with its length in branch roads, none.

Average grade per mile of main road, 21.45.

Total rise and fall in main road, 506.04 ft. rise, 76.4 fall.

Total rise and fall in branch roads, none.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 818.6 ft., 790 ft.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in branch

roads, none. Total degrees of curvature in main road, 1995° 59'.

Total degrees of curvature in branch roads, none.

Total length of straight line in main road, 16.86 miles.

Total length of straight line in branches, none. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 1224 ft.

Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 180 ft. Aggregate length of stone and iron bridges, none.

Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, none.

Number of public ways crossed at grade, 24. Number of railroads crossed at grade, none.

Number of railroads crossed at grade, none.

Way stations for express trains, none.

Way stations for accommodation trains, 13.

Flag stations, 6.

Whole number of way stations, 13. Whole number of flag stations, 6.

Doings during the year.

Miles run by passenger trains, baroland	31,300	
Miles run by freight trains,	15,650	
Miles run by other trains,	5,178	
Total miles run,		52,120
Number of passengers carried in the cars,		21,879

Number of passengers carried one mile, Number of tons of merchandise carried in the cars, Number of tons of merchandise carried one mile, Number of passengers carried one mile, to and from other roads, Number of tons of merchandise carried one mile, to and from other roads, Rate of speed adopted for express trains, including stops, 20 miles the hour. Average rate of speed actually attained by express passenger trains, including stops and detentions, 23 miles the hour. Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 23 miles the hour. Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops and detentions, 23 miles the hour. Average of speed actually attained by special trains, including stops and detentions, 23 miles the hour. Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including stops and detentions, 10 miles the hour. Estimated weight in tons of passenger cars, (not including passengers,) hauled one mile, Estimated weight in tons of merchandise cars, (not including freight,) hauled one mile, 171,700
Expenditures for working the Road. For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, \$4,072 90 For wages of switchmen, average per month, \$20 00 For wages of gate-keepers, average per month, \$8 00 For wages of conductors, average per month, \$3 00 For wages of ticket-masters, average per month, \$25 00
Number of men employed exclusive of those engaged in construction, 39. For removing ice and snow, (this item to include all labor, tools, repairs and extra steam power

used—done by section men, &c., under employ of road.	
For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signal- men, gate-keepers, switchmen, tool-houses,	56 33
Total for maintenance of way,	\$4,129 23

Motive Power and Cars.

For repairs of locomotives, \$3,897 50
For repairs of passenger cars, 1,544 29
For repairs of merchandise cars, 1,732 82
For repairs of gravel and other cars, (see freight
car repairs.)
Total for maintenance of motive power and cars, \$7,174 61
Number of engines, 4. hand a suddinged but been used to
Number of passenger cars, 5.
Number of baggage cars, 4.
Number of merchandise cars, 150 single cars.
Number of gravel cars, 10; 6 hand cars; 4 stone cars.

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines during the year, viz:	
wood,	\$7,006 08
For oil used by cars and engines,	983 60
For salaries, wages and incidental expenses,	
chargeable to passenger department,	5,000 56
For salaries, wages and incidental expenses,	
chargeable to freight department,	3,416 68
For gratuities and damages,	255 68
For ferries, none.	
For repairs of station buildings, fixtures and fur-	
niture, such as gift	11 70
For amount paid other companies, in tolls for	
passengers and freight carried on their roads,	
specifying each company and the amount to	
each, was that y day have a form for hospital and the	22,192 91
For salary of president, no fixed salary.	postation.
For salary of treasurer,	500 00
For office expenses, none.	
For salary of superintendent,	2,500 00
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For office expenses, Number of legal counsel retained, and amount

paid them, don't know.

Number of actions in court each year in which the corporation is a party, the expense of each action, the nature of the controversy, and the amount in question, don't know.

Total miscellaneous,

22,082 57

46,257 96

750 00

Income during the year.

For passengers: On main road, including branches

\$18,390 26 owned by company,

For freight:

On main road and branches owned

22,460 98 by company, U. S. mails, 1,222 79 Rents, 653 93 Interest, none.

3,630 96 From all other sources, Total income,

Net earnings, after deducting expenses, \$24,175 39

Dividends.

Net earnings to May 1, 1852, \$60,914 10, payable to shareholders in stock, by vote of corporation, and this amount is reckoned in the capital stock.

Estimated depreciation beyond the renewals, viz:

Road and bridges, none. Buildings, none. Engines and cars, none.

Estimated increased value beyond depreciation, viz:

Road and bridges, none. Buildings, none. Engines and cars, none. Number of free passengers including every thing, 426.

To the Hon. Legislature of New Hampshire:

Gentlemen—In making the within report, we have endeavored to do so as fully as possible. We believe it gives the true condition of the corporation.

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ANTHONY COLBY,
H. D. ROBERTSON,
FRANKLIN SIMONDS,
JASON H. AMES,
SETH EASTMAN,

Concord, N. H., May 31, 1852.

Concord, N. H., Merrimack, ss., June 12, 1852.

Then personally appeared the above Anthony Colby, H. D. Robertson, Franklin Simonds, Jason H. Ames, Seth Eastman, and made oath that the above report by them subscribed is true according to their knowledge and belief.

Before me-S. C. BADGER, Justice of the Peace.

ASHUELOT RAILROAD.

Official return of the Directors of the Ashuelot Railroad Company, to the Legislature of New Hampshire, May, 1852.

The charter of the Ashuelot Railroad Company allowed a capital of five hundred thousand dollars, and that amount has not been altered by any vote or action of the stockholders.

Capital stock, as per last report, \$247,588 00

This amount has been reduced since, (by a surrender of shares by the contractors,) viz., 6,020 00

Capital stock, present total is, then, \$241,568 00

Funded debt—same as per last report,	\$195,500 00
Floating debt—as per last report, paid since,	\$53,859 45 25,250 45
" present amount,	\$28,609 00
Cost of road—as per last report, increase since,	\$495,191 42 1,893 51
present amount,	\$497,084 93
Which is distributed as follows, viz.:	
For graduation and masonry, "bridging, "superstructure, (balance,) "stations, "land and fence, engineering, expense, miscellaneous, "interest (balance)	\$218,430 83 36,152 54 176,805 37 14,037 80 34,026 30 9,523 20 3,228 31
" interest, (balance,)	4,880 58

The operation of this road is in connection with the Connecticut River Railroad Company's line, under a lease, and no separate accounts are kept of the service. The rent is now fixed at \$30,000 per annum, without reference to the cost of construction. The road is kept in repair, and the buildings and bridges insured, by the Connecticut River Railroad Company.

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, main track, is $23\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

"sidings, $1\frac{1}{2}$ miles.

Weight of rail per yard, 58 lbs.

Maximum grade $34\frac{1}{4}$ feet per mile.

Length of same, 225 rods.

Average grade per mile, 18 feet.

Total rise in road, 108 feet.

Total fall in road, 321 feet.

Shortest radius of curve, 910 feet.

Total length of curve, $7\frac{3}{4}$ miles.

Total length of straight line, 16 miles.

Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 1223 feet.

Aggregate length of other wooden bridges, 304 feet.

Number of highways crossed at grade, 19.

Number of stations, 6—of which 1 is a flag station.

No salaries have been allowed to the officers of the company. The amount paid them for services during the building of the road has been charged to expense account. One of the Directors is the attorney of the corporation, and no other legal counsel has been retained or employed during the last year.

The appeal cases of land damages reported last year as in court have been settled, with but three exceptions, and the

costs included in damages awarded.

There are two suits now in court—one for injury of sheep to the amount of \$17, and one for borrowed earth, where \$75 is claimed.

Cheshire, ss., May 25, 1852.

The undersigned, Directors of the Ashuelot Railroad Company, personally appeared, subscribed and made oath that this return prefixed hereto is, to the best of their knowledge and belief, true and correct.

JOHN H. FULLER,
CEPHAS WOOD,
JOHN STRATTON,
PHILIP RIPLEY,
WILLIAM HAILE,
A. H. BENNETT.

Before me—
J. HENRY ELLIOTT, Justice of the Peace.

BOSTON, CONCORD AND MONTREAL RAILROAD.

Return of the Boston, Concord and Montreal Railroad, under the act of July 3, 1850.

Capital stock, per last report,	\$1,118,742 25
Capital paid in since last report,	271,859 65
Total amount of capital paid in,	\$1,390,601 90
Total amount of funded debt,	\$386,200 00
Total amount of floating debt,	153,728 98
Total amount of indebtedness, Rate of interest paid, 6 to 9 per cent.	\$539,928 98

Cost of Road and Equipments.

Grading, masonry, bridging, superstructure land damages, depots, engineering, and gen	jemielo ei 879
eral expenses,	\$1,612,626 67
Cars, engines, machinery and tools,	160,337 40
Interest credited to stockholders and all other	r
interest on floating debt, and discount or	nebuus ait'l'
bonds after deducting earnings on portion	Company, pes
of the road which was from time to time in	nuigh side de di
use, dosinco bus smil h	110,594 52
Notes receivable, due from delinquent stock	
holders and other materials paid for,	46,975 29
Total cost of road and equipment,	#1 000 500 00
	\$1,930,533 88
Length of road, 70 542 miles.	
Miles run by passenger trains,	68,864
Miles run by freight trains,	43,820
Miles run by other trains,	8,000
Total miles run,	110.004
	119,684
Net income during the year ending May 1,	1852:—
From passengers, freight, mails, rents, &c.,	\$200,261 10
Paid lower roads,	59,056 62
	\$141,204 48

Expenses of working the road, for repairs of road:-

Wages of switchmen, gate keepers, watchmen—average \$30 per month,
Wages of conductors, average \$50 per month,
Wages of ticket master, \$50 per month,
Salary of Treasurer, \$1,200, Agent, \$2,000,

Net income, deducting expenses and exps., \$72,324 68

Number of men employed, exclusive of those on con-

struction, 110 men.

This road is now in course of construction from Warren to its final terminus at Wells River. The net earnings are expended on construction, and no dividends are made. The other characteristics of the road are substantially the same as per last report.

J. QUINCY,
GEO. B. CHANDLER,
JOHN T. COFFIN,
J. M. WHITON,

State of New Hampshire, Merrimack ss., June 9, 1852.

Personally appearing Josiah Quincy and George B. Chandler and John T. Coffin and James M. Whiton, made oath that the above return by them signed is true, according to their knowledge and belief.

Before me-

CHARLES LANE, Justice of the Peace.

NORTHERN RAILROAD.

Return of the Northern Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, chap. 953.

Capital stock, 27,684 shares at par, \$2,768,400 00 Increase of capital since last report, none.

Capital paid in per last report, 2,767,138 00

673 82.

Capital paid in since last report, 86 50 2,767,224 50 Total amount of capital stock paid in, Funded debt, per last report, none. Funded debt paid since last report, none. Total present amount of funded debt, none. 2,103 06 Floating debt, per last report, Floating debt paid since last report, 1,589 48 Floating debt, increase of, since last report, none. Total present amount of floating debt, Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 6 Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year, viz: January, \$673 82; February, \$673 82; March, \$673 82; April, \$513 58; May, \$2,103 06; June, \$693 69; July, \$6,193 69; August, \$6,193 69; September, \$693 69;

Cost of Road and Equipment.

October, \$673 82; November, \$673 82; December, \$3,-

For graduation and masonry, per last report, including changing \$1,184,393 54 roads and streams, For graduation and masonry 10,706 80 paid during the past year, Total amount expended for graduation and 1,195,100 34 masonry, For wooden bridges, per last re-136,503 07 port, For wooden bridges paid during 1.966 83 the past year, Total amount expended for wooden bridges, 138,469 90 For superstructure, including iron, per last report, including chairs 803,059 99 and spikes, For superstructure, including iron, 2,305 34 paid during the past year, Total amount expended for superstructure, in-805,365 33 cluding iron, For stations, buildings and fix-157,421 57 tures, per last report,

For stations, buildings and fix-	
tures, paid during the past year, 589 25	
Total amount expended for stations, buildings	
and fixtures,	158,010 82
For land, land damages and fences,	100,010 02
per last report, 139,035 96	
For land, land damages and fences,	
paid during the past year, 2,778 37	
Total amount expended for land, land dam-	
ages and fences,	141,814 33
For locomotives, per last report, 90,408 54	111,014 00
For locomotives, paid during the	
past year, 8,245 00	
Total amount expended for locomotives,	98,653 54
For passenger and baggage cars,	7811 V.341 10
per last report, 38,220 82	branch, 12
For passenger and baggage cars,	
paid during the past year, nothing.	
Total amount expended for passenger and	
baggage cars,	38,220 82
For merchandise cars, per last re-	ent weight
port, including gravel cars, 107.620 92	
For merchandise cars, paid during	
the past year, 4,775 64	
Total amount expended for merchandise cars,	112,396 56
For engineering, per last report, 47,281 20	A verage State
For engineering, paid during the	
past year, 140 00	
Total amount expended for engineering,	47,421 20
For agencies and other expenses,	MAST DEOL
per last report, 35,313 82	
For agencies and other expenses	
paid during the past year, 1,407 45	
Total amount expended for agencies and oth-	
er expenses,	36,721 27
The tal acet of and a large	all other results in
Total cost of road and equipments,	2,772,174 11
Add amount paid in interest dividends, North-	Letunground
ern Railroad, \$185,391 74, Franklin and	cytadoward a
Bristol Railroad, \$3,855 73,	189,247 47
Add discount allowed on stock sold, Northern	

Railroad, \$51,172 13, Franklin and Bristol Railroad, \$4,040,

55,212 13

Credited construction, from income,

\$3,016,633 71 248,233 71

\$2,768,400 00

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $69\frac{1554}{10000}$ miles.

Length of single main track, 69_{10000}^{1554} miles.

Length of double main track, none.

Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, Franklin and Bristol branch, $12\frac{4158}{100000}$ miles.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, $6\frac{3027}{100000}$ miles.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 57 pounds.

Weight of rail per yard in branch roads; specify the different weights per yard, 56 pounds.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, 50 feet for 18 miles.

Maximum grade, with its length in branch roads, $26\frac{4}{100}$ feet for $1\frac{6}{10}$ miles.

Average grade per mile of main road, $22\frac{77}{100}$ feet. Total rise and fall in main road, 1576 feet.

Total rise and fall in branch roads, 146 feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 1200 feet, 2960 feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in branch roads, $818_{-0.0}^{-6}$ feet, 500 feet.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 3275°. Total degrees of curvature in branch roads, 1052°.

Total length of straight line in main road, $43\frac{6}{10}$ miles. Total length of straight line in branches, 6_1^{71} miles.

Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, including branch roads, $4347\frac{5}{12}$ feet.

Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, including branch road, 1409 10 feet.

Aggregate length of stone and iron bridges, none. Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, none. Number of public ways crossed at grade, 46.

Number of railroads crossed at grade, none.

Way stations for express trains, none.

Way stations for accommodation trains, including branch, 11.

Flag stations, including branch, 11.

Whole number of way stations, including branch, 11.

Whole number of flag stations, including branch, 11.

Doings during the year.

Miles run by passenger trains,	CHALL
Miles run by freight trains,	85,645
Wiles was by fielding trains,	84,146
Miles run by other trains,	18,408
Total miles run,	100 100
Number of passengers carried in th	0 0000
number of passengers carried one	mile
Number of tons of merchandise car	
Number of tons of merchandise car	ried in the cars, 76,687
Number of tons of merchandise car Number of passengers carried as	ried one mile, 4,405,050
pubbeligets carried one	mile, to and
Trom other roads.	
Number of tons of merchandise carr	ied one mile
Rate of speed adopted for accomm	3,445,317
Rate of speed adopted for accomm	odation trains, 24 miles
Average rate of speed adopted for stops and detentions 10 miles	freight trains, including
Estimated Weight in tons of passant	mon anna /
Difficult weight in tons of mare	handia
(not including freight,) hauled on	manuse cars,
, incigit,) hauled on	e mile, 11,260,192
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Expenditures for working the Road.

For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, for sundries deducted from income, see statement (A)	
For repairs of wooden bridges	20,561 51 2,504 20
For renewals of iron, including laying down, see paper, (B.)	2,004 20
For wages of switchmen, average per	
month, \$30 50	

For wages of gate-keepers, average per month, For wages of watchmen, average per month, For wages of conductors, average per 44.00	Nouther of Number of Way states Way states Flag wates
month, For wages of ticket masters, average per month, 44 00	2,244 65
Number of men employed, exclusive of those engaged in construction, 174. For removing ice and snow, (this item to include all labor, tools, repairs, and extra steam	354 85
power used,) For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signal- men, gate-keepers, switchmen, tool-houses,	
Total for maintenance of way,	\$25,738 11

Motive Power and Cars.

For repairs of locomotives,	\$18,653 23
For new locomotives to cover depre ciation, see statement (B.) For repairs of passenger cars,	7,071 24
For repairs of gravel and other cars,	6,033 41 211 45
Total for maintenance of motive po	\$31,969 33
Number of engines, 13. Number of passenger cars, 12. Number of baggage cars, 8.	
Number of merchandise cars, 310. Number of gravel cars, 23.	
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Miscellaneous.

For oil used by cars and engines,	2,406 51
For waste and other material for cleaning,	919 88

For colonics were and it is	
For salaries, wages and incidental	
expenses, chargeable to passenger	
department, 9,351 35	
For salaries, wages and incidental for floor many of	
expenses, chargeable to freight	
department, 15,279 85	
For gratuities and damages, 645 30	
For taxes and insurance, 13,987 14	
For repairs of station buildings, fix-	
tures, furniture, 3,053 27	
Amounts paid other companies in tolls for pas-	
sengers and freight carried on their roads one	
year, to May 1, 1852, by Northern R. R., viz:	
Boston and Lowell, \$10,791 58	
Nashua and Lowell 7 979 96	
Nashua and Lowell, 7,872 96 Concord, 29,038 27	
Salem and Lowell, 588 96	
Manchester and Lawrence, 2,931 68	
Boston and Maine, 209 06	
For salary of Paris 51,801 18 2100 II	
For salary of President, 1,200 00	
For salary of Treasurer, 1,800 00	
For office expenses, 326 73	
For salary of Superintendent, 2,000 00	
For office expenses, 582.86	
Number of legal counsel retained, and	
amount paid them—one firm only is	
generally retained; sometimes oth-	
ers in special cases, 600 68	
Number of actions in court each year,	
in which the corporation is a party,	
the expense of each action, the na-	
ture of the controversy, and the	
amount in question, see statement (C.) 310 35	
Expense paid referees, &c., in case	
with Concord Railroad, 475 00 All other expenses not included in	
Total missellans and	
81,061 18	;
Total and die C	
Total expenditures for working the road, \$138,768 62	

Income during the year.

For magazingora	STORES LANG.		
For passengers:— 1—On main road, including branch-			
es owned by company,	\$42,230	39	
2-To and from other roads, speci-		idemino in a section of the section	
fying what, and amount from			
each— Vt. Central Railroad, \$31,999 41	incitata		
Passumpsic, 31,630 75			
marifactivity and advantage	63,540	12	
For freight:—			
1—On main road and branches own-	55,713	60	
ed by company,	55,715	09	
2—To and from other connecting roads, and amount from each—			
Vt. Central, \$69,188 71			
Passumpsic, 51,685 89		Translation of the second	
THE REAL PROPERTY OF THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS NOT THE PERSON NAMED IN COLUMN TWO IS	120,874		
U. S. mails,	5,458 1,487		
Rents,	2,257		
Interest, From all other sources,	1,200		
Figure at other sources,	1000	and the property of the	
	\$292,762	25	
Net earnings, after deducting expens	ses,	\$153,993 63	
Less, per statement (A.) annexed,		6,296 99	
e din animetros		\$147,696 64	
Dividends.			
Diviaenas.			
5 per cent. total,		\$138,420 00)
Surplus not divided,		\$9,276 64	
Surplus last year, \$60,667 50, dedu	ucting as	per	
statement (B.) annexed, leaves,	configSF b	15,041 78	3
Total surplus,	1011 kest	\$24,318 42	2
		INCOMENT OF	

Nothing has been estimated for depreciation the past year, beyond the renewals made.

Estimated increased value beyond depreciation, viz.

Roads and bridges, buildings, engines and cars, none.

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Also deduct from the net earnings of the past year the following sums expended for construction accounts, but paid from annual income:

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5,194 27		
Land and damage, \$4,938 27 see stater	nent (B.)	
2,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4,4	100 00	
Grading,	3,374 98	
Fencing,	949 05	
Depots, The resulting toll wall is	54 01	
Bridging,	479 81	
Sleepers,	1,186 70	
Masonry.	345 09	
Locomotives, \$8,500, see statement (B	3.)	
Shop and tools,	002 09	
Grading,	626 55	
New merchandise cars,	937 01	0.061 70
	Salara was a second	8,861 79
Less sundries sold, viz:		
	\$14 85	
Account grading,	983 08	
Saw IIIII,	1,065 00	
Freight cars,	387 35	
Glaver Cars,	114 52	
Old account shop stock,	I for uni	2,564 80
me, -A claim for services white Dread	ne zv mon nklin and	\$6,296 99
		tire significant
(B.)		
		\$60.667.50
Surplus of last year was,		\$60,667 50
From which we have paid as follo	ws:—	
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For contingent fund,

" engine, Northern,

" 150 tons iron rails,

\$30,000 00

8,500 00

6,651 57

For land and land damages, 4,938 27
50,089 84
Received, as before stated, on stock the past year, 86 50
Add accrued from diminution of old stock of \$10,664 16
fuel and shop stock, 4,377 62
(S) memerate oee 10 800 hs \$15,041 78

(C.)

Number of actions at law for past year pending in courts of law and settled, &c.:—

Joseph C. Thompson vs. the Northern Railroad.—This action was a claim for land damages, &c., and was settled agreeably to the report of referees—\$202 56.

George Melville vs. same.—A claim of \$60 for wages, &c. Settled by the payment of \$30, in full for debt and costs.

Knowles vs. same.—A claim made by plf. for personal injury sustained by him as a laborer in loading iron. The corporation say they are not responsible. Pending in court of common pleas. Belknap county.

Cole and als. vs. same.—Plfs. claim for injury to their mast while being unloaded at the Lowell depot in Boston.—This action is settled, and the amount paid being assumed by the Boston and Lowell Railroad.

Levi Bartlett vs. same.—A claim for services while Director of Franklin and Bristol Railroad in collecting assessments and removing sleepers, &c. Pending in Grafton court of common pleas.

The Northern Railroad vs. Jos. A. Gilmore.—A claim for balance of freight account. In Merrimack county court. Referred to James Bell, Esq., auditor.

Same vs. Nathan Carruth.—Claim for balance of account for money, iron, &c. Hearing has been had before auditors in Boston, and report not yet returned to court in Suffolk county.

Same vs. Concord and Claremont Railroad .- Appeal for increase of land damages. Award \$1962. Question of law in superior court for Merrimack county.

Same vs. same. - Appeal as before for increase of land damages. Amount of award \$781. To abide decision in

former case.

Dutton & Pratt vs. the Northern Railroad .- A claim for lost freight. Settled by verdict of jury in Merrimack county. \$107 79 paid in full satisfaction of judgment.

Within is the report of the Northern Railroad, for the

year terminating April 30, 1852.

GEORGE W. NESMITH, JOSIAH B. FRENCH,
WILLIAM J. WALKER,
JNO. R. BREWER,
GEO. A. KETTELL.

State of New Hampshire, Merrimack, ss., May 27, 1852.

Then personally appeared the above named George W. Nesmith, Josiah B. French, William J. Walker, Jno. R. Brewer, and George A. Kettell, and severally made oath that the within report by them subscribed was true, according to their best knowledge and belief.

Before me-JOSEPH B. WALKER, Justice of the Peace.

GREAT FALLS AND CONWAY RAILROAD.

Return of the Great Falls and Conway Railroad, May 1, 1852.

\$181,700 00 Capital stock, Increase of capital since last report, none. Capital paid in per last report, \$131,823 34 Capital paid in since last report, 11,135 46 Total amount of capital stock paid in, 142,958 80 Funded debt, per last report, none. Funded debt paid since last report, nothing. Funded debt, increase of since last

report, none.

Total present amount of funded debt, nothing. Floating debt, per last report, 66,086 43 Floating debt paid since last report, 683 60 Floating debt, increase of, since last

report, none.

Total present amount of floating debt, 65,402 83 Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 6 410 per cent.

Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year, viz: May, 1851, \$62,208 82; June, 1851, \$61,396 98; July, 1851, \$60,146 31; August, 1851, \$59,410 36; September, 1851, \$58,039 58; October, 1851, \$64,106 36; November, 1851, \$64,804 26; December, 1851, \$65,-027 28; January, 1852, \$67,838 95; February, 1852, \$66,387 79; March, 1852, \$65,968 83; April, 1852, \$65,402 83.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per last report, \$64,811 69 For graduation and masonry paid during the past year, 767 05 Total amount expended for graduation and ma-\$65,578 74 For wooden bridges, per last report, nothing. For wooden bridges paid during the last year, nothing. Total amount expended for wooden bridges, nothing. For superstructure, including iron, per last report, 72,565 66 For superstructure, including iron, paid during the past year, 4,595 09 Total amount expended for superstructure, including iron, 77,150 75 For stations, buildings and fixtures, per last report, 5,483 19 For stations, buildings and fixtures, paid during the past year, 712 36

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Total amount expended for stations, buildings and fixtures, For land, land damages and fences, per last report, For land, land damages and fences,	6,195 55
paid last year, 1,113 68 Total amount expended for land, land damages and fences, For locomotives, per last report, 6,001 37 For locomotives, paid during the past year. 298 13	23,899 61
Total amount expended for locomotives,	6,309 50
For passenger and baggage cars, per last report, 2,780 85 For passenger and baggage cars, paid during the past year, 26 03 Total amount expended for passenger and baggage cars, For merchandise cars, per last report, 6,865 60 For merchandise cars, paid during the past year, 40 78	2,806 88 6,906 38
Total amount expended for merchandise cars, For engineering and general expenses, per last report, For engineering and general expenses, paid during the past year, Cotal amount expended for engineering and general general expenses, paid during the past year, Cotal amount expended for engineering and general g	anti sen W Loradan W Loradan W
eral expenses, For agencies and other expenses, per last report, nothing. For agencies and other expenses, paid during the past year, included above, Total amount expended for agencies and other expenses, included above.	11,068 04

Total cost of road and equipment,

\$199,915 45

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $12\frac{3}{10}$ miles. Length of single main track, same. Length of double main track, none. Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, nothing.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, 250 feet.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 59 lbs., nearly.

Weight of rail per yard in branch roads, specify the different weights per yard, nothing.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, 52 8 per mile, 5800 feet.

Maximum grade, with its length in branches, nothing. Average grade per mile of main road, about 31 feet. Total rise and fall in main road, 390 feet, nearly.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 477 ft., 750 ft.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in branches, nothing.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, about 383.

Total degrees of curvature in branches, none.

Total length of straight line in main road, 9 miles, 1250 ft.

Total length of straight line in branches, nothing. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 44 ft. Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, none. Aggregate length of stone and iron bridges, none.

Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, about 4000 ft.

Number of public ways passed at grade, 10. Number of railroads crossed at grade, none. Way stations for express trains, none run.

Way stations for accommodation trains, 4.

Flag stations, 1.

Whole number of way stations, 4. Whole number of flag stations, 1.

Remarks-That portion of the road unfenced on both sides is chiefly through swamp land not requiring a fence.

Doings during the year.

Miles run by passenger trains, 19,260 Miles run by freight trains, run in connection with passenger.

Miles run by other trains, none.

Total miles run, Number of passengers carried in the cars, 32,651

Number of passengers carried one mile, 323,928 Number of tons of merchandise carried in the cars, 6,682 Number of passengers carried one mile, to and from other roads, cannot say. Number of tons of merchandise carried to and from other

roads, cannot say.

Rate of speed adopted for express passenger trains, including stops, none run.

Average rate of speed actually attained by express passenger

trains, including stops and detentions, none.

Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 30 miles per hour. Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains,

including stops and detentions, 25 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed actually attained by special trains, including stops and detentions, none run. Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including

stops and detentions, run with passenger.

Estimated weight in tons of passenger cars, (not including passengers,) hauled one mile, do not know.

Estimated weight in tons of merchandise cars, (not including freight,) hauled one mile, cannot determine.

Expenditures for working the Road.

For repairs of wooden bridges, nothing. For renewals of iron, including laying down, nothing. For wages of switchmen, average per month, none. For wages of gate-keepers, average per month, none. For wages of signal men, average per month, none. For wages of watchmen, average per month, none. For wages of conductors, average per month, \$35. For wages of ticket-masters, average per month, \$35. Number of men employed exclusive of those engaged in construction, 13.

For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signal-men, gatekeepers, switchmen, tool-houses, nothing.

Motive Power and Cars.

\$298 13 For repairs of locomotives, For new locomotives to cover depreciation, none.

Appendix.

For repairs of passenger cars, 26 03	
For new passenger cars to cover de-	
preciation, none.	
For repairs of merchandise cars, 40 78	
For new merchandise cars to cover	
preciation, none.	
For repairs of gravel and other cars, none.	
Total for maintenance of motive power and cars.	\$364 94
Number of engines, 1.	ne and the second
Number of passenger cars, 1.	
Number of baggage cars, 1.	
Number of merchandise cars, 12.	
Number of gravel cars, none.	
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Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines during the	vear viz
	\$1,759 50
Coal, none.	Ψ2,.0000
For oil,	192 47
For waste and other material for clean	
ing, og i grant at a transport at least	42 00
For salaries, wages and incidental ex	
penses, chargeable to passenger de	- Milana con M.
partment, freight and passenger train	3
run in connection by the same men	rabeora le s
For gratuities and damages,	12 50
For taxes and insurance,	358 65
For ferries, nothing.	
For repairs of station buildings, fix-	feariging
tures and furniture, cannot answer.	
For amount paid other companies, in	authros dun
tolls for passengers and freight car-	f festail de
ried on their roads, specify each	
company and the amount to each,	
nothing. India and season assume	
For amount paid other companies as	
rent for use of their road, specify	
each company and amount to each,	
nothing.	
For salary of president, not known.	
For office expenses, nothing.	

For salary of treasurer, not settled. For office expenses, For salary of superintendent, not fixed. For office expenses, nothing. Number of legal counsel retained, and

amount paid them, nothing.

Number of actions in court each year in which the corporation is a party, the expense of each action, the nature of the controversy, and the amount in question, nothing.

Total expenditure for working the road,

\$6,879 60

450 00

\$5,554 92

4,860 90

Income during the year.

For passengers:

1st On main road, including branches owned by company,

2d. To and from other roads, specifying what and the amount to each road, nothing.

For freight:

1st. On main road and branches owned by the company,

2d. To and from other connecting roads, and amount from each, nothing.

U. S. mails, nothing. Rents, nothing. Interest, nothing.

Total income,

From all other sources, nothing.

Net earnings, after deducting expenses,

10,415 82

\$3,518 32

Dividends.

All net earnings been approriated to the payment of interest on debts.

Surplus last year, \$1,219 56

Estimated depreciation beyond the renewals, viz:

Small, but cannot estimate what.

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Estimated increased value beyond depreciation, viz:

Road and bridges, none. Buildings, none. Engines and cars, none.

Number of free passengers the last year, viz:

Number of directors and officers (except superintendent) when not engaged in the immediate management of the cars and care of the road, none.

Number of other persons, except stockholders when attend-

ing meetings of the corporation, none.

D. G. ROLLINS,
S. D. WHITEHOUSE,
OLIVER HILL,
JOHN MOULTON,
ASA BEACHAM,
Directors.

Strafford, ss., June 5, 1852.

Then personally appeared the above D. G. Rollins, S. D. Whitehouse, Oliver Hill, John Moulton and Asa Beacham, and made oath that the foregoing return by them subscribed is true to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Before me-MARK NOBLE, Justice of the Peace.

EASTERN RAILROAD.

Fourteenth annual report of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, to the Legislature..

To the Hon. Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened:

The Directors of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire respectfully present their fourteenth annual report of their acts and doings, receipts and expenditures. This Railroad is leased to the Eastern Railroad Company of Massachusetts, under the sanction and authority of this State, for the term of ninety-nine years from February 18, 1840, giving the Eastern Railroad Company the entire right to use the road, with locomotive engines, carriages, cars, &c. Under this arrangement, the two roads form a continuous line from Boston to its junction with the Portland, Saco and Portsmouth Railroad Company, at the line of the State of Maine, on the Piscataqua river at Portsmouth. The receipts and expenditures appertaining to income are kept by the Eastern Railroad Company.

By the terms of the lease, the dividends of profits earned are to be equally divided upon the stocks of the roads, in

proportion to their respective capitals paid in.

Since the last annual report, we have received from the lessees, thirty-nine thousand four hundred dollars, from which two dividends of four dollars each per share, on four thousand nine hundred and twenty-five shares, have been declared and paid to the shareholders—the first in July, 1851, the second in January, 1852—making a dividend of eight dollars per share on the capital stock of the company, being about the net earnings per share on the capitals of this road and the Eastern Railroad Company.

The repairs of the road and expenses of running are paid by the lessees, from the income of the two corporations.

The cost of the Eastern Railroad in New Hampshire, as shown by the books of the company, April 1, 1852:

Graduation and masonry,	\$185,861 85
Wooden bridges,	33,535 75
Superstructure, including iron,	159,685 12
Stations, buildings and fixtures,	22,484 48
Land, land damages and fences,	73,750 34
Engineering,	10,509 98
Agencies, interest and other expenses,	19,082 14
	\$504.909 62

Which has been realized from-

4925 shares at \$100 per share, \$492,500 00 Note of the company to the Portsmouth Savings Institution, 12,000 00 Due Eastern Railroad Company,

409 62

\$504,909 62

All of which is respectfully submitted.

ICHABOD GOODWIN,

President E. R. R. in New Hampshire.

Portsmouth, June 1, 1852.

State of New Hampshire, Rockingham, ss., May 31, 1852.

Sworn to by the said Ichabod Goodwin. Before me—W. H. Y. HACKETT, Justice of the Peace.

NEW HAMPSHIRE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Return of the New Hampshire Central Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, chap. 953.

Capital stock, \$2,000,000 00 Capital paid in per last report, 231,731 57 Capital paid in since last report, 23,688 68 Total amount of capital stock paid in, 255,420 25 Funded debt, per last report, 22,413 00 Funded debt, increase of, since last 40,287 00 report. Total present amount of funded debt, 62,700 00 Floating debt, per last report, 241,098 23 Floating debt paid since last report, 11,497 00 Total present amount of floating debt, 229,601 23 Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 8 per cent. Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year,

wiz: January, \$285,566 57; February, \$292,815 31; March, \$291,385 80; April, \$292,301 23; May, \$263,511 23; June, \$264,507 52; July, \$264,501 00; August, \$264,488 11; September, \$263,194 83; October, \$270,-

420, 27; November, \$273,425 63; December, \$273,368 48.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per last	
report, \$199.740.40	
For graduation and masonry paid	
during the past year, 747 39	
Total amount expended for graduation and ma-	
	200,487 79
For wooden bridges, per last report. 35.999 11	00,10.
For wooden bridges paid during the	
past year, 2.278 20	
Total amount expended for wooden bridges	38,277 31
For superstructure, including iron.	00,011 01
per last report, 129 167 80	
For superstructure, including iron.	
paid during the past year, 6.710 67	
Total amount expended for superstructure, in-	
	35,878 47
For stations, buildings and fixtures, per last re-	30,010 41
port, 6.557.26	
For stations, buildings and fixtures.	
paid during the past year. 1.790 46	
Total amount expended for stations, buildings	
and nxtures,	8,347 72
For land, land damages and fences, per	10,521,178
last report, 26.728 15	
For land, land damages and fences	
paid during the past year. 3 446 33	
Total amount expended for land, land damages	
and lences,	30,174 38
For locomotives, per last report. 16.068 00	il no dark roll /
1 otal amount expended for locomotives 1	6,068 00
For passenger and baggage cars, per	richero milita
last report.	
Total amount expended for passenger and bag-	
gage cars,	4,651 00
For merchandise cars, per last report, 16,696.75	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,
For merchandise cars, paid during	
the past year, 2.026.50	
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14,815 66 For engineering, per last report, For engineering, paid during the past 697 33 year, 15,512 99 Total amount expended for engineering, For agencies and other expenses, per 4,248 94 last report, Total amount expended for agencies and other 4,248 94 expenses,

Total cost of road and equipment,

\$546,587 49

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $25\frac{52}{100}$ miles. Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, $1\frac{25}{100}$ miles.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 45 and 57 lbs.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, 65 feet for 4000 feet.

Total rise and fall in main road, rise $505\frac{36}{100}$ feet; fall $202\frac{43}{100}$ feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 1433 feet for $1\frac{3}{100}$ miles, and 516 feet for 700 feet on the part not laid by commissioners, considered temporarv.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 1014° 51'. Total length of straight line in main road, 14 64 miles. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 1546 feet.

Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 148 feet, and

1580 feet trestling, temporary.

Whole length of road unfenced on both sides—the fence is nearly all under contract, and the larger portion built.

Number of public ways crossed at grade, 21. Number of railroads crossed at grade, 1.

Way stations for accommodation trains, 4.

Flag stations, 4.

Whole number of way stations, 4. Whole number of flag stations, 4.

Doings during the year.

Miles run by passenger trains, 16,276

Miles run by freight trains, 16,276
Total miles run, 32,552
Number of passengers carried in the cars, 26,724½.

Number of tons of merchandise carried in the cars, 15,451

Average rate of speed actually attained by express passenger trains, including stops and detentions—no express trains.

Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 20 miles. Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops and detentions, 20 miles.

Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including stops and detentions, 12 miles.

Expenditures for working the road.

For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, \$3202 95.

For repairs of wooden bridges,

For renewals of iron, including laying down,
For wages of switchmen, average per month, \$\\$\) none.

For wages of gate-keepers, average per month, \$
For wages of signal-men, average per month, \$

For wages of watchmen, average per month, \$20, total \$240.

For wages of conductors, average per month, \$50, total

Number of men employed, exclusive of those engaged in construction, 27.

Motive power and cars.

For repairs of locomotives, \$1,735 60
For repairs of passenger cars, 847 96
For repairs of merchandise cars, 826 36

Total for maintenance of motive power and cars, \$3,409 92 Number of engines, 3.

Number of engines, 3.

Number of passenger cars, 2.

Number of baggage cars, 1.

Number of merchandise cars, 60.

Number of gravel cars, 6.

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines during the year, viz.:

Wood,	\$4,507 00
Coal,	60 14
For oil used by cars and engines,	405 67
For waste and other material for cleaning,	130 42
For salaries, wages and incidental expenses,	
chargeable to passenger department,	690 41
For salaries, wages and incidental expenses,	
chargeable to freight department,	690 41
For taxes and insurance—taxes,	261 11
For amount paid other companies in tolls for pass	engers and
freight carried on their roads, specifying each	company
and the amount to each: \$522 39 Concord;	
and Lawrence; \$244 12 M. and Lowell; \$509	98 Boston
and M.; \$206 99 Boston and Lowell; \$782 5	0 Concord.
For salary of President, no salary. For office expenses, none.	
For salary of Treasurer,	\$750 00
For office expenses,	78 89
For salary of Superintendent,	800 00
For office expenses,	60 00
Number of legal counsel retained, none general-	areaw follow
ly; amount paid them for special purposes,	237 00
Number of actions in court each year in which	34807 464
the corporation is a party, the expense of each	
action, the nature of the controversy, and the	
amount in question, twelve; impossible to	
state the expense or amount. 7 for right of	
way and land damages, 2 for accidents to in-	
dividuals, and 3 for debt.	
Total expenditures for working the road,	315,672 52
Income during the year.	
For passengers:	
1—On main road, including branches owned by	
company,	12,668 41
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1—On main road, including branches owned by company,

2—To and from other roads, specifying what, and amount from each, C. V. R. R.,

For freight:

1—On main road and branches owned by Co.,

2—To and from other connecting roads, and amount from each, C. V. R. R.,

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We the undersigned, Directors of the New Hampshire Central Railroad Company, hereby certify that the within report by us made is correct.

> DAVID STEELE, M. A. HODGDON, MOSES SAWYER, Directors. ABNER HOIT, JAMES STRAW,

May 31st, 1852.

State of New Hampshire—Hillsborough ss., June 7th, 1852.

Then David Steele, Abner Hoit and James Straw all personally appeared and made oath that the above certificate by them subscribed is in their belief true.

Before me— DAN'L CLARK,

Justice of the Peace.

State of New Hampshire—Hillsborough ss., ? June 7th, 1852.

Then Moses Sawyer and Moses A. Hodgdon both personally appeared and affirmed that the above certificate by them subscribed is in their belief true.

Before me— DAN'L CLARK, Justice of the Peace.

WORCESTER AND NASHUA RAILROAD.

Return of the Worcester and Nashua Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, chap. 953, to the Legislature of the State of New Hampshire, April 30, 1852.

Capital stock, allowed by charter, \$2,100,000 00 Increase of capital since last report, 300,000 00 Capital paid in per last report, \$969,331 63

Capital paid in since last report, 208,446 66 -\$1,177,778 29 Deduct proceeds forfeited stock and sundry 83,461 63 items transferred to construction, \$1,094,316 66 Total amount of capital stock paid in, Funded debt, per last report, \$365,500 00 Funded debt paid since last report, 194,300 00 171,200 00 Total present amount of funded debt. Floating debt, per last report, 43,465 45 Floating debt, increase of, since last 9,188 88 report. Total present amount of floating debt, 52,654 33 Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 6 per cent. Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year, viz: January, 1852, \$269,730 54; February, 1852, \$266,-916 24; March, 1852, \$232,087 45; April, 1852, \$223, 854 33; May. 1851, \$418,212 61; June, \$407,958 56; July, \$355,983 60; August, \$329,243 29; September, \$275,729 25; October, \$269,725 38; November, \$262,-245 78: December, \$274,273 83.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per \$452,554 97 last report, For graduation and masonry 1,237 25 paid during the past year, Total amount expended for graduation and 453,792 22 masonry, For wooden bridges, per last re-12,335 35 port, For wooden bridges paid during the past year, nothing. Total amount expended for wooden bridges, 12,335 35 For superstructure, including iron, 420,501 98 per last report, For superstructure, including iron, 5.029 54 paid during the past year, Total amount expended for superstructure, in-425,531 52 cluding iron,

For stations, buildings and fix- tures, per last report, 63,481 8 For stations, buildings and fix- tures, paid during the past year, 864 8 Total amount expended for stations, building	the to denad
and fixtures,	64,346 36
For land, land damages and fences,	plant to daigne M
per last report, 190,177 9 For land, land damages and fences,	96
paid during the past year, 1,059 8	6 43 00 3 301
Total amount expended for land, land dan	n- our sen Intall'
ages and fences,	191,237 82
For locomotives, per last report, 50,410 4 For locomotives, paid during the	of burn artist)
past year,	3 a drash had?
Total amount expended for locomotives.	51,648 86
For passenger and baggage cars,	
per last report, 17,612 7 For passenger and baggage cars,	1 - 1 - Table Bank
paid during the past year, nothing.	
Total amount expended for passenger an	d sommer closel
baggage cars,	17,612 71
For merchandise cars, per last report, 48.800 8	
port, 48,800 8 For merchandise cars, paid during	1
the past year, 11,695 0	O been to steed O
Total amount expended for merchandise cars	60.495.81
For engineering, per last report, 40,062 2	7 hostanio em H
For engineering, paid during the past year-	ar anipaioni
this item has been reduced by proceeds o stock forfeited to the company.	toh han warend
Total amount expended for engineering.	30,674 27
For agencies and other expenses,	
per last report, 67,111 63	3
For agencies and other expenses paid during the past year—this account has been re	Porteguin of
duced in the same manner of engineering.	Telling Control of the Control of th
Total amount expended for agencies and oth-	To such with the
er expenses,	55 98
Total cost of road and equipments,	#1 90° P90 00
total cost of load and equipments,	\$1,307,730 90

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $45\frac{69}{100}$ miles.

Length of single main track, 45,69 miles.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, $5\frac{156}{5280}$ miles.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 574 pounds.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, $48\frac{48}{100}$ feet for $3\frac{44}{100}$ miles, excepting terminus at Worcester, $52\frac{8}{10}$ feet for 800 feet, and at Nashua, $49\frac{632}{1000}$ feet for 3100 feet.

Total rise and fall in main road, 1151 31 feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 1146 feet for 86 of a mile, except curve at Groton Centre and terminus at Worcester.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 2110° 47'. Total length of straight line in main road, 31 miles. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 559 feet.

Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 335 feet.

Number of public ways crossed at grade, 51.

Number of railroads crossed at grade, 3. Whole number of way stations, 13.

Whole number of flag stations, 2.

Doings during the year.

Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 23 miles per hour.

Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops and detentions, 30 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including stops and detentions, 10 miles per hour.

Expenditures for working the Road.

For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, For repairs of wooden bridges, For wages of switchmen, average per month, \$32 00,

\$9,635 77 88 90

1,373 76

\$12,249 63

per month, nothing, For wages of signal-men, average per
For wages of signal-men, average per
month, nothing,
For wages of watchmen, average per 761 93
month, pou,
For wages of conductors, average per
month, \$47 25,
For wages of ticket-masters, average
per month, \$27 25,
Number of men employed, exclusive of those
engaged in construction, 107.
For removing ice and snow, (this item to in-
clude all labor, tools, repairs, and extra steam
power used,) 345 23
For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signal-
men, gate-keepers, switchmen, tool-houses, 44 04

Motive Power and Cars.

Total for maintenance of way,

For repairs of locomotives,	\$8,627	64	
For repairs of passenger cars,	2,926		
For repairs of merchandise cars,	2,599	50	
For repairs of gravel and other cars,	308	26	
Total for maintenance of motive pow	ver ver		
and cars,		\$14,461 70	
Number of engines, 7.			
Number of passenger cars, 6.			
Number of baggage cars, 5.			
Number of merchandise cars, 163, counting 8 wheels 2 cars.			
Number of gravel cars, 20.	Tagano a	gd bonwoods	

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines during the year, viz—wood, called the same as reported to legislature of Mass. for year ending Nov. 30, 1851—no inventory of wood having been taken at this time, \$20,751 03

For oil used by cars and engines,	1,372 7	8
For waste and other material for		dinomina
cleaning,	290 7	3
For salaries, wages and incidental		
expenses, chargeable to passenger	11 000 1	For Languages of
department,	11,392	19
For salaries, wages and incidental		
expenses, chargeable to freight	11 180 0	
department,	11,178 9	
For gratuities and damages,	129 6	
For taxes and insurance,	680 2	1 10 Jadren C
For ferries, nothing.		
For repairs of station buildings, fix-	973 3	l'or removan
tures, furniture,	915 3	
Salary of President, Treasurer, Su-		
perintendent, &c., embraced in		
item under head of expenses not		
included in any of the foregoing		
items.		
All other expenses not included in	8,579 6	37
the foregoing items,	0,019	55,348 50
Total miscellaneous,		55,540 50
Total expenditures for working the r	ad	\$82,059 83
Interest paid during the year,	oau,	18,954 40
interest paid during the year,		10,504 40
Total expenses and interest,		\$101,014 23
i otal expenses and interest,		Ψ202,022 70

Income during the year.

For passengers:—		
1-On main road, including branch-	win and a	
es owned by company,	\$85,784	15
For freight:—	7	
1-On main road and branches own-		
ed by company,	63,406	34
U. S. mails,	2,893	00
Rents,	1,747	84
Express,	1,500	
From all other sources,	223	96
		00
Total income,	\$155,555	29

Net earnings, after deducting expenses and interest, \$54,541 06

Dividends.

 4½ per cent. total,
 \$56,330 06

 Surplus last year,
 \$18,775 65

 Total surplus,
 \$16,986 65

Number of free passengers the last year, viz.

Number of directors and officers, (except superintendent) of the corporation when not engaged in the immediate management of the cars and care of the road, ten.

Number of persons connected with and in the employment of other corporations—very few, the precise number cannot be stated.

Number of other persons, except stockholders, when attending meetings of the corporation—very few, the precise number cannot be stated.

GEO. BOWEN,
ISAAC DAVIS,
ALEX. DEWITT,
STEPHEN SALISBURY,
GEO. T. RICE.

Worcester, ss., May 27, 1852.

Then personally appeared the within named Alexander DeWitt, Stephen Salisbury, George T. Rice, George Bowen, and Isaac Davis, and severally made oath that the within report by them subscribed is true, according to their best knowledge and belief.

Before me-

T. W. HAMMOND, Justice of the Peace.

We the subscribers, Commissioners of the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Company, appointed by the Governors of the States of Massachusetts and New Hampshire, having examined the foregoing report, believe it to be correct, and approve the same.

ISRAEL HUNT,

Commissioner for New Hampshire.

A. A. WILLIAMS,

Commissioner for Massachusetts.

At a meeting of the Commissioners of the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Company, at the office of the company in Worcester, on the 28th day of May, A. D., 1852, for the purpose of investigating the accounts and expenditures made by said company, and for deciding what sums of expenditures made by said company are applicable to that part of said road lying in the State of Massachusetts, and also what part is chargeable to that portion of the road lying in the State of New Hampshire, and having examined the accounts of said company, we find the total expenditures for construction to the 30th of April, 1852, inclusive is \$1,307,730 90.

Of this amount, the cost of construction and equipment, we apportion as follows, viz:-

To Massachusetts,

\$1,191,638 73

" New Hampshire,

116,092 17 -\$1,307,73090

The whole amount of receipts, from May 1, 1851, to April 30, 1852, inclusive, were as follows, viz:-

For	transportation	of passengers,	\$85,784	
"	"	merchandise,	63,406	
"	"	mails,	2,893	00
"	rents,	rud or all both	1,747	
66	express,		1,500	00
66	miscellaneous	receipts,	223	96

\$155,555 29

Of which amount we apportion as follows, viz:-

To Massachusetts, " New Hampshire,

\$132,982 92 22,572 37

-\$155,55529

Expenses.

Maintenance of way, exclusive of bridges, &c., \$9,635 77

Repairs, locomotives,	8,627 64
" passenger cars, " MAMA MAMA AMI	2,926 30
" merchandise cars,	2,599 50
gravel and other cars,	
"wooden bridges,	508 26
Wages of switchmen,	88 90
" watchmen,	1,373 76
" watchmen,	761 93
Removing snow and ice,	345 23
Repairs, fences, &c.,	44 04
Fuel, 10 605 60 to troper teal socie	20,751 03
Oil and tallow,	1,372 78
Waste, OF UDD SEL MOOSE Jan 100	290 73
Passenger expenses, and the state of the last of the l	11,392 19
Freight " Isal soniz to session	11,178 92
Gratuities and damages,	
Taxes and insurance,	129 60
	680 27
Repairs, stations, buildings and fixtures,	973 31
General expenses, including salaries,	8,579 67
Interest paid on the debt of the company,	18,954 40
Committee of the Commit	injon , heger

\$101,014 23

The above amount we apportion as follows, viz :-

To Massachusetts, "New Hampshire,

\$86,556 22 14,658 01

-\$101,214 23

The whole length of road is $45\frac{69}{100}$ miles. That part lying in Massachusetts is $39\frac{6}{100}$ miles. That part lying in New Hampshire is $6\frac{63}{100}$ miles.

Said Commissioners also find, on examining the books of said company, said corporation have kept separate accounts of the expenditures in Massachusetts and New Hampshire, respectively, agreeably to the act of said State of Massachusetts, creating the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Company, and the act of the State of New Hampshire, uniting the Nashua and Groton Railroad Corporation with the Worcester and Nashua Railroad Company.

ISRAEL HUNT,

Commissioner for New Hampshire.

A. A. WILLIAMS,

Commissioner for Massachusetts.

BOSTON AND MAINE RAILROAD.

Return of the Boston and Maine Railroad, under the act approved July 13, 1850, New Hampshire Statutes.

\$4,155,700 00 Capital stock, Increase of capital since last report, nothing. Capital paid in per last report, \$3,969,094 52 Capital paid in since last report, 95,205 00 4.064,299 52 Total amount of capital stock paid in, 153,000 00 Funded debt, per last report, Funded debt paid since last report, 3,000 00 Funded debt, increase of since last report, nothing. Total present amount of funded debt, 150,000 00 7,000 00 Floating debt, per last report, Floating debt paid since last report, 7,000 00 Floating debt, increase of, since last report, nothing. Total present amount of floating debt, nothing. Total present amount of funded and floating 150,000 00

Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 5_{10000}^{62} per cent.

Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year, viz: January, \$7,000 00; February, \$7,000 00; March, \$7,000 00; April, \$7,000 00; May, \$7,000 00; June, \$7,000 00; July, \$6,600 00; August, \$6,600 00; September, nothing; October, nothing; November, nothing; December, nothing.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per last report, \$881,513 35

For graduation and masonry paid during the past year, 342 50

Total amount expended for graduation and masonry, \$881,855 85

For wooden bridges, per last report, 364,412 37

For wooden bridges paid during the past year, 740 79

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Total amount expended for wooden bridges, 365,153 16
Total amount expended for iron bridges, (if
any,) nothing.
For superstructure, including iron,
per last report, 984,523 89
For superstructure, including iron, .
paid during the past year, nothing.
Total amount expended for superstructure, in-
For stations, buildings and fixtures, per last report. 472,135 44
For stations, buildings and fixtures,
paid during the past year, 35,284 00
Total amount expended for stations, buildings
and fixtures, 507,419.44
For land, land damages and fences,
per last report, 743,103 58
For land, land damages and fences,
paid during the past year, 2,802 62
Total amount expended for land, land damages
and fences, 745,906 20
For locomotives, per last report, 138,400 00
For locomotives, paid during the
past year, less amount charged for
depreciation, 6,100 00
Total amount expended for locomotives, 144,500 00
For passenger and baggage cars, per
last report, 64,590 00
For passenger and baggage cars, paid
during the past year, nothing charged off. 1,045 00
Total amount expended for passenger and bag-
gage cars, 63,545 00
For merchandise cars, per last report, 101,107 70
For merchandise cars, paid during
the past year, 24,052 30
Total amount expended for merchandise cars, 125,160 00
For engineering, paid during the
past year, 86 18
Total amount expended for engineering, unknown.
For agencies and other expenses, per
last report, and engineering, 271,820 26

For agencies and other expenses, paid during the past year, 482 50 Total amount expended for agencies and other expenses,

272,388 94

Total cost of road and equipment, \$4,090,452 48

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $74\frac{26}{100}$ miles.

Length of single main track, $46\frac{47}{100}$ miles.

Length of double main track, $27\frac{79}{100}$ miles.

Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, $8\frac{79}{100}$ miles, of which 1-4 are double track.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, 1746 miles.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, nearly 3 miles of 48 lbs., balance 56 and 60 lbs.

Weight of rail per yard in branch roads, 48 to 60 lbs. Specify the different weights per yard, 48, 56, 60 lbs.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, 471 ft. per mile for $\frac{77}{100}$ mile.

Maximum grade, with its length in branches, 36 ft. for $1\frac{41}{100}$

Total rise and fall in main road, 1498 feet. Total rise and fall in branch roads, 146 feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, radius 1050 ft., length 1150 ft.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in branch roads, radius 573 ft., length 218 ft.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 1988 degrees. Total degrees of curvature in branch roads, 4563 degrees. Total length of straight line in main road, 49 73 miles. Total length of straight line in branches, 5 81 miles. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 2612 ft.

Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 7007 ft. Aggregate length of iron bridges, nothing.

Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, 320 miles.

Number of public ways crossed at grade, 92.

Number of railroads crossed at grade, 3.

Remarks-Nine railroad bridges over highways, twenty-six highway bridges over railroad.

Way stations for express trains, 3.
Way stations for accommodation trains, 15.
Flag stations, 17.
Whole number of way stations, 15.
Whole number of flag stations, 17.
Total stations, 32.

Doings during the year.

Miles run by passenger trains,	340,863
Miles run by freight trains,	87,862
Miles run by other trains,	33,131
Total miles run,	461,856
Number of passengers carried in th	e cars, 1,449,421
Number of passengers carried one	mile, 23,513,081
Number of tons of merchandise carr	ried in the cars, 156,700
Number of tons of merchandise ca	rried one mile, 4,632,473
Number of passengers carried one	mile, to and
from other roads,	9,520,449
Number of tons carried one mile to	and from other
roads,	1,021,840
Rate of speed adopted for express	s passenger trains, includ-
ing stops, 39 miles per hour.	
Average rate of speed actually attai	ned by express passenger
trains, including stops and detent	tions, 36 miles per hour.
Rate of speed adopted for accomm	nodation trains, 24 miles
per hour.	bur lawers to sugar and
Rate of speed actually attained by	accommodation trains,
including stops and detentions, 2	3 miles per hour.
Average rate of speed actually atta	ined by special trains, in-
cluding stops and detentions, 20	miles per hour.
Average rate of speed adopted for	freight trains, including
stops and detentions, 11 miles pe	r hour.
Estimated weight in tons of passer	iger and bag-
gage cars, (not including passeng	gers,) hauled
one mile,	8,347,080
Estimated weight in tons of mercl	handise cars,
(not including freight,) hauled o	ne mile, 8,033,223

Expenditures for working the Road.

For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, \$54,521 79

For repairs of wooden bridges, For renewals of iron, including laying down,	760 02 14,679 79
For wages of switchmen, average per month, \$469 26, \$5,631 14	
For wages of gate-keepers, average per month, \$177 73, 2,132 84 For wages of signal men, average	
per month, \$99 33, 1,192 00 For wages of watchmen, average	
per month, \$445 32, 5,343 93	14,299 91
Number of men employed exclusive of those engaged in construction, 494.	
For removing ice and snow, (this item to include all labor, tools, repairs and extra steam power	
used,) For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signal- men, gate-keepers, switchmen, tool-houses,	1,691 33
Total for maintenance of way,	\$86,781 34

Motive Power and Cars.

For repairs of locomotives,	\$21,475 86
For repairs of passenger cars,	10,428 89
For repairs of merchandise cars,	4,184 33
For repairs of gravel and other cars.	, 245 91
Total for maintenance of motive pov	ver and cars, \$36,334 99
Number of engines, 28.	
Number of passenger cars, 35.	
Number of baggage cars, 14.	
Number of merchandise cars, long	and short, equal to 530
short.	
Number of gravel cars, 49.	

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by	engines during the	
year, viz:	\$65,	597 68
Wood,	\$64,964 08	
Coal,	633 60	
For oil used by c	ars and engines, 7,	787 83

For waste and other material for clean-	i olioniw		U.S. mas	
ing, ing,	1,273	84		
For salaries, wages and incidental ex- penses, chargeable to passenger de-			coupling	
partment,	47,508	57	m bens 4	
For salaries, wages and incidental ex-	11,000	ame	Potal me	-
penses, chargeable to freight depart-			- 1	+
ment, State and Asserting and States	29,785	99		
For gratuities and damages,	1,193			
For taxes and insurance,	11,887			
For repairs of station buildings, age-	,001			-
ducts, fixtures and furniture,	5,777	59		
For salaries of president, treasurer,	,,,,,			
superintendent, law expenses, of-				
fice expenses of the above officers,			11. 918	
and all other expenses not included			on has	
	11,139		ALSO LINES	
Total miscellaneous,	07 2111		81,952 07	*
				-
Total expenditure for working the ros	ad.	\$30	05 068 40	1

Income during the year.

For passengers:

1st On main road, including branches owned by company, \$285,220 99

2d. To and from other roads, specifying what,* 123,594 61

For freight:

1st. On main road and
branches owned by the
company,

2d. To and from other
connecting roads,*

31

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miles south and the second	Passengers.	Freight.
* Manchester and Lawrence and roads connecting therewith, part for 12 and part for 6 months, South Reading Branch, 12 months, Salem and Lowell, 5 months,	\$15,327 96 12,003 30 2,233 24	\$13,093 49 8,128 53 104 16
Cochecho, 12 months,	4,778 37	6,527 30

15,206 85 Marie 100
penses, chargeable to
10,449 26 633,095 15
\$328,026 75
290,899 00
11,369 66
45,293 35
28,369 66

Roads, bridges and buildings, provided for by repairs, &c., as above.
Engines and cars, as appraised and charged off on books of the Co.,
Loss on cotton burnt and suspense account for doubtful demands on ticket and freight accounts,

\$4,456 08

4,302 01

8,758 09

Net earnings, after deducting depreciation, &c., \$319,268 66

The salary of the President is \$2500 per annum—no office expenses.

Great Falls and Conway, 12 months,	3,916 18	3,294 56
Portsmouth and Concord, 12 months,	3,764 20	192 19
Portland, Saco and Portsmouth, way, 12 months,	8,059 38	
" " through, 12 months,	72,391 94	
Newburyport and Georgetown,	1,120 04	115 60
	\$123.594 61	\$31,455 83

^{*} This amount is believed to be sufficient to meet all pending claims on this account.

The salary of the Treasurer and his clerk, \$2000 per annum—no office expenses.

The salary of the Superintendent, \$2000 per annum.

The office expenses of the Superintendent are \$1380 per annum.

The number of legal counsel retained is two in New Hampshire. The amount paid them is uncertain, on account of actions pending. The number of actions in court this year, five, for lost baggage, killing cattle, &c., amounting to \$375, expenses not settled. One old action pending for goods burned at Dover, amounting to \$288.

List of free passengers for year ending Sept. 1, 1851.

In pay of the road as employees,	peiver 12
Agents of corporations and directors and officers of	con-
necting roads, my which well and had have the	2682
Families of directors of this road,	148
Persons not connected with this road,	I .vo 141
was justantly killed at about 7 P. M. He was	in Boston,
of disconnecting a check chain from one of the	2983

The following fatal accidents have occurred on this road

during the past year:

Jan. 3.—Thaddeus Abbott, for some years past conductor of the Lawrence freight train, was instantly killed by falling off the train at S. Reading, nearly the whole train passing over his body.

March 12.-Wm. Colby was killed at Dover while at-

tempting to get upon a train after it had started.

May 15.—James R. Twombly of Melrose was instantly killed while walking on the track near Boardman's crossing, being struck by the engine attached to the S. R. Branch train.

May 28.—An insane man was found dead on the track in Bradford; was probably killed by a passenger train the

previous evening.

July 3.—Daniel Googin, fireman on engine Norris, while oiling the cylinders as the train was approaching Malden station, fell off and was so badly injured that he died the next day.

Aug. 19.-Joseph Chamberlain, jr., brakeman on the S.

R. Branch train, was instantly killed near freight house in Boston, while looking backward from the train on which he was, and being struck by the Manchester train coming into passenger station.

Sept. 4.—Mich'l Conlan, employed at the freight house, was run over by a freight car which he was about to "shackle on," and was so severely injured that he died in 20 hours.

Sept. 11—Suel Winn was instantly killed while incautiously crossing the track at Church street, South Reading.

It was supposed he was unable to control his horse.

Sept. 19—Joseph Runnels, an aged Irishman, a resident of Cambridge, was found dead at the side of the track, half a mile north of S. Reading station. It was supposed he was struck and killed by the 11 o'clock outward extra train of the previous night.

Donovan, an Irishman, employed on the grade train, fell from the train and had one leg badly crushed, so that he

died in three days.

Nov. 1.—Wm. E. Johnson, employed at the freight house in Boston, was instantly killed at about 7 P. M. He was in the act of disconnecting a check chain from one of the cars, when his foot caught between two rails, and he was thrown down and crushed beneath the cars.

Nov. 3.—A colored man by the name of Grant had his leg cut off by the outward $5\frac{3}{4}$ passenger train, while walking on the bridge near car house, and died a few days after-

wards.

JOHN HOWE,
GEO. H. KUHN,
SAMUEL A. WALKER,
WM. HALE,
SAM'L BATCHELDER,
SOUTHWORTH SHAW,
JOHN FLINT.

Commonwealth of Massachusetts, Suffolk, ss., Dec. 23, 1851.

Then personally appeared the above John Howe, George Kuhn, Samuel A. Walker, William Hale, Samuel Batchelder, Southworth Shaw and John Flint, and made oath that the above report by them subscribed is true according to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Before me-GEORGE MINOT, Justice of the Peace.

The undersigned have examined the foregoing report of the Directors of the Boston and Maine Railroad, and approve the same.

WILLIAM STEVENS, Commissioner for Massachusetts. GREENLEAF CLARKE, Commissioner for New Hampshire. JOHN ANDERSON, Commissioner for Maine.

COCHECHO RAILROAD.

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To the Honorable Legislature of the State of New Hampshire: -- sm bas gertasberg tot bebaseke tutoma latou

Herewith is submitted the second annual report of the Cochecho Railroad Company, in accordance with an act approved July 13th, 1850.

May 4th, 1850.

Capital stock subscribed—

Common stock, \$255,100 00 Preferred stock, 200,000 00

Total amount capital stock subscribed, \$455,100 00

Capital stock paid in per last report—

Common stock, \$200,140 51

Desferred stock. \$99,593 77

Total amount paid per last report, 305,740 08

Capital stock paid in since last report—

Common stock, 2,215 00 Preferred stock, 97,984 70

Total amount paid in since last report, 100,199 70

Total amount capital stock paid in, \$405.939 78

Funded debt per last report, 26,300 00			
Increase of funded debt since last			
report, and to someth TOMM At 67,900 00 and all			
Total present amount of funded debt, 94,200 00			
Floating debt per last report, 144,745 56			
Increase of floating debt since last and hence the same and the same a			
report, as a section of the most section of the sec			
Total present amount of floating debt, 197,123 09			
Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 74.			
Maximum amount of debt each month during the year, viz:			
June, 1851, \$136,377 83; July, \$138,126 10; August,			
\$148,518 61; September, \$173,913 11; October, \$152,-			
013 11; November, \$180,752 71; December, \$169,952,-			
71; January, \$202,537 12; February, \$202,296 62;			
March, \$197,315 01; April, \$; May, \$197,123 09.			

Cost of road and equipment.

For graduation and masonry per last
report, 0409 HAJ 040 149,179 84
For graduation and masonry paid
during the past year, 117,581 66
Total amount expended for graduation and ma-
sonry, oger language biggers out benigning 266,761 50
For wooden bridges per last report, 12,932 61
For wooden bridges paid during the
past year, 1,022 38
Total amount expended for wooden bridges, 13,954 99
For superstructure per last report, 144,796 00
For superstructure paid during the
past year, 46,587 97
Total amount expended for superstructure, 191,383 97
For stations and buildings per last
report, 18 arra082 13,083 95 nommous
For stations and buildings paid dur-
going the past year, magazined 9,917 42 mms late I
Total amount expended for stations and build-
ings, 23,001 37
For land, land damages and fences,
per last report, 52,155 90
For land, land damages and fences,
paid during the past year, 2,773 34

Total amount expended for land, land damages			
and fences,	h straight li	54,929 24	
For locomotives per last report,	10,952 03	Aggregate	
For locomotives paid for during the	ebird nebeo	All other w	
past year,	6,948 21	All other at	
Total amount expended for locomotive	ves, older	17,900 24	
For passenger, baggage and mer-	railroads er	Number of	
chandise cars per last report,	18,902 79	Way station	
For passenger, baggage and mer-	as for accom	Way station	
chandise cars paid during the past	is for accom		
year,	2,885 11		
Total amount expended for passen-	Doin		
ger, baggage and merchandise cars,		21,787 90	
For engineering per last report,	16,167 51		
For engineering paid during the past		Number of	
year, destrict some one beimes	3,221 49	Number of	
Total amount expended for engineering	ng, notem at	19,389 00	
For agencies and other expenses per		Number tor	
last report, work but of bolimes salba	29,748 18		
For agencies and other expenses paid	nor oldisaor		
during the past year,	22,766 96	Rate of spe	
Total amount expended for agencies	and other	Rate of spe	
expenses, 22 lonians	ed actually	52,515 14	
for freight trains, including stops and	belquis ba	Bate of spe	

Total cost of road and equipment, May 4th, \$661,623 35

Characteristics of road.

Length of road in operation, $28\frac{155}{1320}$ miles.

Length of single main track, $28\frac{155}{1320}$ miles.

Length of double main track, none.

Length of branches owned by company, none.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track, 10,205 feet.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 58½ and 60 lbs.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, 64 feet, 2500 feet long.

Average grade per mile in main road, 18 feet. Total rise and fall in main road, $510\frac{63}{100}$ feet.

Shortest radius curvature with length of curve in main road, 477½ to 600 feet, 300 feet long.

Total degrees curvature in main road, 956° 21′.

Total length straight line, 16 \(\frac{147}{1000}\) miles.

Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 526 feet.

All other wooden bridges, 1342 feet.

All other stone bridges, none.

Number of public ways crossed at grade, 23.

Number of railroads crossed at grade, none.

Way stations for express trains, none.

Way stations for accommodation trains, 7.

Flag stations for accommodation trains, 2.

Doings during the year.

Total miles run by trains, 43,647.

Number of passengers carried in the cars, 43,188.

Number of passengers carried one mile, 617,796.

Number tons merchandise carried in cars, 11,357.

Number tons merchandise carried one mile, 197,194.

Passengers and merchandise carried to and from other roads, it is not possible to ascertain with correctness.

Rate of speed for express trains, none.

Rate of speed for accommodation trains, 22 miles.

Rate of speed actually attained, 22 miles.

Rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including stops and detentions, 14 miles.

Expenses for working the road.

For repairs of road and maintenance of way,
For repairs of bridges,
For renewals of iron, &c., none.
For wages of switchmen, average per mo., \$22 00.
For wages of conductors, average per mo., 42 50.
For wages of ticket masters, aver. per mo., 20 14.
Number of men employed, exclusive of those engaged in construction, 30.
For removing ice and snow, all expenses included,

35 83

Total for maintainance of way, \$2,692 87

Motive power and cars.

For locomotives,

\$920 47

For passenger, merchandise and gravel cars, 703 67

Total for maintainance of motive power and cars, 1,624 14

Number of engines, 3.

Number of passenger cars, 3.

Number of baggage cars, 2.

Number of merchandise cars, 61 of 4 wheels.

Number of gravel cars, 10.

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines and at sta-		
tions during the year,	\$2,765 0	5
For oil and waste used by engines	7	
and at stations.	808 09	
For gratuities and damages,	62 31	
For salaries, wages and incidental ex-		
penses chargeable to passenger		
and freight department,	6,969 58	M. Herring,
For taxes and insurance,	2,185 91	
For salaries of President, Treasurer,	2,100 91	di nomench
Superintendent and office and office		
Superintendent, and office expen-		Belore p
ses, included in other items.		
All other expenses not included in		
foregoing items,	1,910 7	1
Total miscellaneous,		14,701 65
		-
Total expenditures,		\$19,018 66

Income during the year.

For freight,	5,962 41 6,606 41
For mails, rents, interest, and all other sources,	1,725 83
Total income,	34,294 65
Nett earnings after deducting expenses,	15,275 99

Dividends. I Sould at bran Astron

None made; the earnings being appropriated for paying the interest on the debt.

The above account for construction is made up to May 4, 1852, and the account for running to December 1, 1851. In the expenses of running is included the cost of running a gravel train four months, to fix the new part of the road for use; also the expenses incident on carrying the materials, &c. &c., for the new part of the road.

WM. HALE,
WILLIAM HILL,
T. H. CUSHING,
G. M. HERRING,
STEPHEN S. STONE,
JOS. H. SMITH.

Strafford ss., Dover May 29, 1852.

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Personally appeared William Hale, T. H. Cushing, Geo. M. Herring, Stephen S. Stone and Joseph H. Smith, and made solemn oath, and William Hill, who made solemn affirmation, that the foregoing statement by them subscribed is true to the best of their belief and knowledge.

Before me— A. P. HANSON, Justice Peace.

SULLIVAN RAILROAD.

To the Hon. Legislature of the State of New Hampshire:

Second annual return of the Sullivan Railroad Company, under the provisions of the act of the Legislature, passed July 13, 1850, of the condition of the corporation, May 1, 1852.

Capital stock, 5000 shares of \$100 each,
Increase of capital since last report, none.
Capital paid in per last report, \$433,600 00
Capital paid in since last report, 66,400 00
Total amount of capital stock actually paid in,
Funded debt, per last report, 676,200 00

Funded debt—bonds matured but
not paid or exchanged for 2d
mortgage bonds, 37,200 00

Funded debt, increase of, since last report, none.
Floating debt paid since last report, 60,559 07

Floating debt, increase of, since last report, (including bonds ma-

tured as above,) 59,740 93

Total amount of floating debt, 120,300 00 Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year, 6

per cent.

Maximum amount of debt for each month during the year, viz: May. \$736,759 00; June, \$730,250; July, \$718,-127; August, \$720,150 00; September, \$715,230 00; October, \$723,120 00; November, \$728,640 00; December, \$739,800 00; January, \$756,100 00; February, \$756,600 00; March, \$755,640 00; April, \$759,400 00.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per \$425,038 08 last report, For graduation and masonry 16,754 00 paid during the year, 441,792 08 Total for graduation and masonry, For wooden bridges, per last re-35,704 74 port, For wooden bridges paid during 22,996 00 the year, Total amount for wooden bridges, 58,700 74 For superstructure, including iron, 230,782 99 per last report, For superstructure, including iron, 4,350 00 paid this year, Total amount expended for superstructure, in-235,132 99 cluding iron, For stations, buildings and fix-30,000 26 tures, per last report, For stations, buildings and fix-312 10 tures, paid this year, Total amount for stations, buildings and fix-30,312 36 tures this year, 36

For land, damages and fences, per last report, 50,266 79 For land, damages and fences, paid this year, 893 14	
Total amount expended for land, damages and fences, For locomotives, per last report, Solution 35,848 36 For locomotives, paid during the	51.159 93
year, none. For passenger and baggage cars, per last report, For passenger and baggage cars,	
paid this year, 2,950 00 Total amount paid for passenger and baggage cars, For merchandise cars, per last re-	10,727 92
port, 19,606 87 For merchandise cars, paid this year, 11,245 00 Total for merchandise cars,	20.051.05
For engineering, per last report, 19,731 13 For engineering, paid during last year, 900 00	30,851 87
Total amount paid for engineering, For agencies, salaries, and other expenses, during the construc- tion of the road, and for interest paid to stock and bond holders and incidental expenses, per last	20,631 13
report, 217,044 76 For agencies and other expenses paid this year, 61,049 13 Total amount paid for agencies and other expenses,	278,093 89
Total cost of road and equipments,	\$1,193.251 27

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $24\frac{6.8}{100}$ miles. Length of single main track, $24\frac{6.8}{100}$ miles. Length of double main track, none. Length of branches, (single track) on same, $\frac{60}{100}$ miles. Aggregate length of sidings, except main track and branches, $2\frac{20}{100}$ miles.

Weight of rail per yard throughout, 56 pounds.

Maximum grade, with its length on main track, $58\frac{8}{10}$ feet per mile, for 3000 feet.

Maximum grade, with its length on branches, 33 feet per mile for 2500 feet.

Average grade per mile of main track $15\frac{261}{1000}$ feet. Total rise and fall in main track, $317\frac{243}{1000}$ feet. Total rise and fall in branch roads, 15 feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve on main track, 662 feet radius for 1273 feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve on branch, 1500 feet radius for 2000 feet long.

Total degrees of curvature on main road, 909°.

Total degrees of curvature on branch road, not one degree. Total length of straight line on main track, $14\frac{41}{100}$ miles. Total length of straight line on branch road, 2500 feet. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 1794 feet. Aggregate length of all other bridges, 44 feet. Aggregate length of stone and iron bridges, none. Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, none. Number of public ways crossed at grade, 23. Number of railroads crossed at grade, none. Way stations for express trains, none.

Way stations for accommodation trains, 4. Flag stations, 3.

Whole number of way stations, 4. Whole number of flag stations, 3.

Doings during the year.

Miles run by passenger trains,	2,552
2011	1,026
Miles run by other trains,	3,949
Total miles run,	57,527
Number of passengers carried in the cars,	49,536
Number of passengers carried one mile,	928.784
Number of tons of merchandise carried in t	the cars. 31.472
Number of tons of merchandise carried one	e mile, 699.067
Number of passengers carried one mile, to	and

805,748 from other roads. Number of tons of merchandise carried one mile, 676,677 to and from other roads, Rate of speed adopted for express passenger trains, including stops, none. Average rate of speed actually attained by same, none. Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 25 miles per hour. Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops, &c., 30 miles per hour. Average rate of speed actually attained by special trains, Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including stops, 10 miles per hour. Expenditures for working the Road. For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclu-\$2,346 25 sive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, For renewals of iron, including laying down, 730 00 For wages of switchmen, average per month, \$26, No. gate-keepers or signal men, none. For wages of watchmen, average per For amount see below to passenger month, \$26.

and freight depart-For wages of conductors, average per ment. month, \$45,

For wages of ticket-masters, average per month, \$26,

Number of men employed, exclusive of those engaged in construction, 62. For removing ice and snow,

For repairs of fences, gates, houses for switchmen and tool-houses, nothing.

Total for maintenance of way,

\$4,176 25

1,100 00

Motive Power and Cars.

\$2,585 50 For repairs of locomotives, For new locomotives, nothing. 975 52 For repairs of passenger cars,

For new passenger cars to cover depreciation, nothing.

For repairs of merchandise cars,

For new merchandise cars to cover depreciation, nothing.

For repairs of gravel cars, nothing.

Total for maintenance of motive power and cars,

Number of engines, 5.

Number of passenger cars, 4.

Number of baggage cars, 2.

Number of merchandise cars, 90.

Number of gravel and other cars, 20.

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines during the	
year, \$4,046 96	
For oil used by cars and engines, 837 84	
For waste and other material for	
cleaning, 255 10	
For salaries and incidental expenses,	
chargeable to passenger depart-	
ment, 6,330 76	
For salaries and incidental expenses,	
chargeable to freight department, 6,515 85	
For gratuities and damages, 328 99	
For taxes and insurance, 2,068 68	
For repairs of station buildings, fix-	
tures, &c., 312 10	
Amounts paid other companies as rent for use of	
their road, nothing.	
For salary of President, 1,000 00 For aggregate	
For office expenses, nothing. of these see	
For salary of Treasurer, 1,200 00 item of ex-	
For office expenses, 600 00 pense of pas-	
For salary of Superintendent, 15,00 00 senger and fr't	
For office expenses, 311 30 department.	
Number of legal counsel retained, and	
amount paid them, two.	
Number of actions in court each year,	
in which the corporation is a party,	

and	expense	of same	, three,	expense
not	yet settle	ed.		
All of	er expen	ses not	included	in the

All other expenses not included in the foregoing items, 'Total miscellaneous,

181 81 20,878 99

Total expenditures for working the road,

\$29,586 06

Income during the year.

For	passengers,	\$29,330 69
	freights,	24,903 49
	U. S. mails,	2,322 00
	rents,	93 00
	interest, nothing.	

" interest, nothing. From all other sources,

3,561 46

Total income, \$60,210 64 Net earnings, after deducting expenses, \$30,624 58.

Dividends.

All the net earnings have been applied in the payment of the indebtedness of the company.

Estimated depreciation beyond renewals of roads and bridges, buildings, engines and cars—the road, buildings and equipments in quite as good condition as last year.

Number of free passengers the last year, none.

Number of directors and officers, (except superintendent) of the corporation when not engaged in the immediate management of the cars and care of the road, none.

Number of persons connected with and in the employment of other corporations, none.

Number of other persons, except stockholders, when attending meetings of the corporation, 15 on charity.

CHARLES THOMPSON, AURELIUS DICKINSON, FRED. H. STIMPSON, JOHN M. GLIDDEN, JONAS LIVINGSTON, HENRY HUBBARD, JR.,

Directors.

Charlestown, May 30, 1852.

State of New Hampshire, Sullivan ss., June 3, 1852.

Then personally appeared the above named Chas. Thompson, Aurelius Dickinson, Fred. H. Stimpson, John M. Glidden, Henry Hubbard, jr., and Jonas Livingston, and made oath that the foregoing report is true, to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Before me-

P. C. FREEMAN, Justice of the Peace.

WILTON RAILROAD.

Return of the Wilton Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, chap. 953.

To the Legislature of New Hampshire, May 31, 1852:

Capital stock, \$251,000 00

Capital paid in per last report, 164,344 00 Capital paid in since last report, 41,652 27

Total amount of capital stock paid in, 205,995 27

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per last

report, \$116,101 65

For graduation and masonry paid

during the past year, 47,408 35

Total amount expended for graduation and masonry, \$163,500 01

For wooden bridges, per last report, \$2000, included in superstructure.

For superstructure, including iron,

per last report, 116,186 95

For superstructure, including iron,

paid during the past year, 47,408 36

Total amount expended for superstructure, including iron, 163,595 21

For stations, buildings and fixtures, per last report, 6,098 81

For stations, buildings and fixtures,	
paid during the past year, 1,393 64	Satistical Control
Total amount expended for stations, buildings	Melly Miles
and fixtures,	7,092 45
For land, land damages and fences, per	
last report, 29,164 95	
For land, land damages and fences, paid during the past year, 8,638 40	
paid during the past year, 8,638 40 Total amount expended for land, land damages	
and fences,	37,803 35
(This road is operated by the Nashua and Low-	0.,000 00
ell Railroad Company.)	
For engineering, per last report, 4,605 85	
For engineering, paid during the past	
year, 542 53	Authorized September 1
Total amount expended for engineering,	5,148 38
For agencies and other expenses, per	
last report, 6,462 71	
For agencies and other expenses paid during the past year, 1,909 83	
during the past year, 1,909 83 Total amount expended for agencies and other	
expenses,	8,372 53
expenses,	5,5.2.55
Total cost of road and equipment, \$	223,000 00

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $15\frac{43}{100}$ miles.

Length of single main track, $15\frac{43}{100}$ miles.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, not ascertained precisely; not completed.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 56 lb. 10 miles, 5 miles 50 lbs.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, $3\frac{1}{10}$ miles of $31\frac{68}{100}$ per mile.

Total rise and fall in main road, $15\frac{1}{10}$ feet per mile.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 955 feet long and 1300 feet radius.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 397°. Total length of straight line in main road, 8 miles.

Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 141 feet. Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 260 feet. Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, 200 rods. Number of public ways crossed at grade, 14. Way stations for accommodation trains, 3. Flag stations, 2. Whole number of way stations, 5. Whole number of flag stations, 2.

Doings during the year.

(Operated by Nashua and Lowell Railroad Co.) Rate of speed adopted for express passenger trains, including stops, 20 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed actually attained by express passenger trains, including stops and detentions, 20 miles per hour. Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 20 miles

per hour.

Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops and detentions, 20 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including stops and detentions, 13 miles per hour.

Expenditures for working the road.

(This road is operated by the Nashua and Lowell Railroad Company by contract.)

Motive power and cars.

(Motive power and cars furnished by the Nashua and Lowell Railroad Company by contract.)

Miscellaneous.

\$794 93 For taxes and insurance, For salary of Treasurer, allowance by Directors. For office expenses, \$50. 500 00 For salary of Superintendent, Number of actions in court each year in which the corporation is a party, the expense of each action, the nature of

Appendix.

the controversy, and the amount in question-4 for land damages.

Income during the year.

For passengers: 1—On main road, including branches owned b	Way stations
For freight:	\$10,027 88
1—On main road and branches owned by com	1-
Rents,	9,251 48
From all other sources, express,	470 00
Tom an other sources, express,	80 00
Total income, Nett earnings, after deducting expenses,	\$19,829 36 11,240 30

Dividends.

Per cent., total, 6 per cent.	
Surplus last year, Total surplus,	\$3,402 68 3,402 68

Number of free passengers the last year, viz:

Number of Directors and officers (except Superintendent) of the corporation when not engaged in the immediate management of the cars and care of the road, Number of persons connected with and in the employment of other corporations,

Number of other persons, except stockholders, when attending meetings of the corporation,

DAN'L ABBOT, Z. SHATTUCK, WM. RAMSDELL, C. C. BOUTWELL,

Hillsborough ss., May 31, 1852.

Then the said Daniel Abbot, Zebediah Shattuck, Will-

iam Ramsdell and C. C. Boutwell appeared and made oath that the above is a correct return, according to their best judgment and belief.

Before me-

other tracks execution

CHARLES F. GOVE,

Justice of the Peace.

NASHUA AND LOWELL RAILROAD.

Return of the Nashua and Lowell Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, chap. 953, for eleven months, ending April, 1852.

Capital stock,	\$600,000 00
Increase of capital since last report, none. Capital paid in per last report, \$600,000 Total amount of capital stock paid in,	00 600,000 00

This corporation owes no debts.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

Total amount expended for graduation and ma	urguet tero I
sonry,	\$110,339 20
Total amount expended for wooden bridges,	2,530 35
" iron "	1,875 00
Total amount expended for superstructure, in	000 000 05
cluding iron.	255,990 55
Total amount expended for stations, building	8
and fixtures.	95,190 95
Total amount expended for land, land-damage	S
and fences,	88,030 00
Total amount expended for locomotives,	46,240 48
Total amount expended for passenger and bag	OTHER POST AND
gage cars,	13,792 71
Total amount expended for merchandise cars,	33,101 09
Total amount expended for engineering,	21,510 61
Total cost of road and equipment,	\$651,214 88

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, $77,000\frac{2}{10}$ feet.

Length of single main track, 2,011 feet.

Length of double main track, 74,989 2 feet.

Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, none.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, 23 miles.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 56 lbs. per yard.

Weight of rail per yard in branch roads; specify the different weights per yard, none.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, $12\frac{7}{10}$ feet per mile, and 4133 feet long.

Maximum grade, with its length in branches, none.

Average grade per mile of main road, $5\frac{4}{100}$ feet. Total rise and fall in main road, $73\frac{5}{10}$ feet.

Total rise and fall in branch roads, none.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 636 feet 100 feet long.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in branch roads, none.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 770°. Total degrees of curvature in branch roads, none. Total length of straight line in main road, $7\frac{72}{100}$ miles. Total length of straight line in branches, none. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 530 feet.

Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 530 feet.

Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 664 feet.

Aggregate length of stone and iron bridges, 230 feet.

Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, none. Number of public ways crossed at grade, 10.

Number of railroads crossed at grade, 1. Way stations for express trains, none.

Way stations for accommodation trains, 2.

Flagg stations, 2.

Whole number of way stations, 2. Whole number of flag stations, 2.

Doings during the year.

Miles run by passenger trains, Miles run by freight trains, 34,516

29,346

Miles run by other trains, 6,077
Total miles run, 69,959
Number of passengers carried in the cars, 169,544
Number of passengers carried one mile, 2,373,616
Number of tons of merchandise carried in the cars, 142,602
Number of tons of merchandise carried one mile, 1,996,428
Number of passengers carried one mile, to and
from other roads,
Number of tons of merchandise carried one mile,
to and from other roads, 1,391,753
Rate of speed adopted for express passenger trains, including
stops, 40 miles per hour.
Average rate of speed actually attained by express passen-

ger trains, including stops and detentions, 40 miles per hour.

Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 28 miles per hour.

Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops and detentions, 28 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed actually attained by special trains, including stops and detentions, 32 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including

stops and detentions, 14 miles per hour.

Estimated weight in tons of passenger cars, (not including passengers,) hauled one mile, no accurate account has been kept, a large portion coming from other roads, which we have no means of estimating.

Estimated weight in tons of merchandise cars, (not including freight,) hauled one mile, no accurate account has been kept, a large portion coming from other roads, which

we have no means of estimating.

Expenditures for working the Road.

For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, For repairs of wooden bridges, For wages of switchmen, average per month, \$1

per day.

For wages of gate-keepers, average per month, \$1 per day.

For wages of signal-men, average per month, none, exclusive from station men.

For wages of watchmen, average per month, \$1 25 per day.

For wages of conductors, average per month, \$600 per annum.

For wages of ticket masters, average per month, \$50.

Number of men employed, exclusive of those engaged in construction, 77.

For removing ice and snow, (this item to include all labor, tools, repairs, and extra steam power used,) this work was done by our regular hands and machines, and not kept separate from maintenance of way or road.

For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signalmen, gate-keepers, switchmen, tool-houses, including the construction of a new house at Middlesex.

1,731 73

Total for maintenance of way,

\$8,034 33

Motive power and cars.

For repairs of locomotives, \$7,409 12

For repairs of passenger cars, 1,953 13

For new passenger cars, to cover depreciation, none.

For repairs af merchandise cars, 1,448 12

For new merchandise cars to cover depreciation, included in repairs.

For repairs of gravel and other cars, included in merchandise car repairs,

Total for maintenance of motive power and cars, 10,810 37 Number of engines, 8.

Number of passenger cars, 8 long, 2 short.

Number of baggage cars, 5.

Number of merchandise cars, 132.

Number of gravel cars, 10.

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines during the year, viz.—wood, \$10,520 10

For oil used by cars and engines, in-	
cluding machinery and offices, 1.348 52	
For waste and other material for clean-	
ing, 274 42	
For salaries, wages and incidental ex-	
penses, chargeable to passenger de-	
partment, 5,604 76	
For salaries, wages and incidental ex-	
penses, chargeable to freight depart-	
ment, 11,683 24	
For gratuities and damages, 2,951 56	
For taxes and insurance, 1,708 03	
For repairs of station buildings, fix-	
tures, furniture, 1,240 55	
For amount paid other companies as	
rent for the use of their roads, spe-	
cifying each company and the	
cifying each company and the	
amount to each—Stony Brook, R.	
R. Co. 6 per cent. on their capital	
stock, amounting per annum to, 16,231 60	
For salary of President, \$1000 was paid him for past services, charged	
paid film for past services, charged	
in office expenses.	
For salary of Treasurer, \$1,375, in-	
cluding other services, charged part to superintendence of Stony Brook	
to superintendence of Stony Brook	
Road and part to general expense—	
balance, 687 50	
For office expenses, in all offices, 3,189 50	
For salary of Superintendent. 1.375 00	
For office expenses, included in office	
expenses above.	
Number of legal counsel retained, and	
amount paid them, one was employ-	
ed, \$30 charged to general expenses.	
Number of actions in court each year	
in which the corporation is a party,	
the expense of each action, the na-	
ture of the controversy, and the	
amount in question, one action in	
court not yet settled.	
All other expenses not included in the	
and any and thousand the the	

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foregoing items, Total miscellaneous,	2,176 47 42,759 65
Total expenditures for working the re	sead, \$61,604 35
Income during the	near mags or sometime to the
Theome waiting the	gcar.
For passengers :—	
1-On main road, including trans	it aldees of or seading
over Boston and Lowell, and Saler	m management
	\$22,718 54
2-To and from other roads, specify	
ing what, and amount from each-	ror repairs for station
Concord Road, \$7,712 4 Northern, 2,802 6	
	20
	1
Passumpsic, 1,999 4 B., C. and Montreal, 2,877 3	iny
C. and Claremont, 785 1	
Contoocook Valley, 686 4	
N. H. Central, 236 6	64
Wilton, 5,212 8	36
100000	-24,428 86
	\$47,147 40
For freight:	
1-On main road and branches own	n-
ed by company,	16,396 00
2—To and from other connecting	
roads, and amount from each—	or delined x trial movie a
Concord road, \$12,557 5 Northern, 5,051 4	
2,222	0
Passumpsic, 6,208 & 6,	
C. and Claremont, 1,377 2	
Contoocook Valley, 444 7	
Wilton, 4,220 7	
pulse and the thermal and	-44,189 65
	60,585 65
77 O '1	853 56
U. S. mails,	
Rents,	1,917 29 1,046 74

From all other sources,	3,370 19
Total income,	\$114,920 83
Net earnings, after deducting expenses,	53,316 48

Dividends.

8 per cent. total,	\$48,000 00	
Surplus not divided last year, \$5,316 48, minus \$2,538 69 since expended, Surplus last year,	\$2,777 79 5,581 29	
Total surplus, cash,	\$8,359 08	

Estimated depreciation beyond the renewals, viz.

Roads and bridges, none. Buildings, none. Engines and cars, none.

Estimated increased value beyond depreciation, viz.

Roads and bridges, nothing. Buildings, nothing. Engines and cars, nothing.

Number of free passengers the last year, viz.

Number of directors and officers, (except superintendent) of the corporation when not engaged in the immediate management of the cars and care of the road, 11.

Number of persons connected with and in the employment of other corporations, 485.

Number of other persons, except stockholders, when attending meetings of the corporation, 260 charity.

We certify that the within is a true return of the condition and operations of the Nashua and Lowell Railroad, for eleven months ending April 1st, A. D., 1852, as appears by the books, and according to our best judgment and belief, made according to the act of July 13th, A. D., 1850, chap. 953.

JESSE BOWERS,
WM. BOARDMAN,
WM. AMORY,
Directors.

Commonweath of Massachusetts, Suffolk, ss., May 29, 1852.

Then the above named William Amory appeared and made oath that the within return by him subscribed is in his belief true.

Before me-

N. J. BOWDITCH, Justice of the Peace.

State of New Hampshire, Hillsborough, ss., May 29, 1852.

Then appeared the above named Jesse Bowers and William Boardman, and made oath that the above return by them subscribed is in their belief true.

Before me-

beyond depreciation, viz

CHARLES F. GOVE, Justice of the Peace.

CONCORD RAILROAD.

Return of the Concord Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, chap. 953, including the receipts and expenditures of said road in connection with the Manchester and Lawrence Railroad, for 11 months ending March 31st, 1852.

Capital stock, \$1,485,000 00
Increase of capital since last report, no increase.
Capital paid in per last report, 1,485,000 00
Capital paid in since last report, none.
Total amount of capital stock paid in, 1,485,000 00
No debt now exists or at any time has existed against the road, and no interest has ever been paid.

Cost of road and equipment.

For graduation and masonry paid during the past year,

For wooden bridges paid during the past year,

\$1,548 02

1,866 93

For stations, buildings and fixtures paid dur-	
ing the past year,	1,061 11
For land, land damages and fences paid during	Bab and a
the past year,	526 00
For locomotives paid during the past year, por-	ped invest
tion of expense of new locomotive,	4,073 87
During the year there has been received on	area hasan
construction account for land sold \$1500,	
leaving the balance expended on construc-	
tion during the year, \$7,575 93. The con-	
struction accounts of the road were not	
originally kept so as to make the divisions	
contemplated in the proposed return. The	
total expenditures on construction to date,	
including \$50,000 loaned to Portsmouth	
Road, as per act of the Legislature, is \$1.4	48.173 79

Characteristics of road.

Length of road, 34½ miles and 185 feet.

Length of single main track, none of separate track.

Length of double main track, 34½ miles and 185 feet, or 69 miles 370 feet of main track.

Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, none.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, $8\frac{1}{2}$ miles 1010 feet, making with main track $77\frac{3}{4}$ miles 60 feet in all.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, from 56 to 60 lbs. Weight of rail per yard in branch roads; specify the different weights per yard, none.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, $15\frac{8}{10}$, in length $2\frac{1}{2}$ miles 400 feet, excepting 900 feet at Manchester of $21\frac{8}{10}$ feet grade.

Maximum grade, with its length in branch roads, none.

Average grade per mile of main road, $5\frac{25}{100}$ feet. Total rise and fall in main road, $181\frac{1}{2}$ feet.

Total rise and fall in branch roads, none.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main road, 1432½ feet, 1350 feet in length, except a short distance near the depot at Manchester of 955 feet.

Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in branch roads, none.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 1276 deg. 20 min.

Total degrees of curvature in branch roads, none.

Total length of straight line in main road, $18\frac{3}{4}$ miles 777 feet.

Total length of straight line in branches, none.

Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 1507 feet.

Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 434 feet.

Aggregate length of stone and iron bridges, none.

Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, no portion unfenced.

Number of public ways crossed at grade, 9. Number of railroads crossed at grade, none.

Remarks, no additional remarks.

Way stations for express trains, no express trains.

Way stations for accommodation trains, 10, including Nash-ville and Concord.

Flag stations, none.

Whole number of way stations, 10.

Whole number of flag stations, none.

Doings during the year.

Total miles run on Concord and Manchester and Lawrence roads, 237,524.

Number of passengers carried in the cars, on Concord Road, 221,076; Manchester and Lawrence Road, 92,960; in all, 314,036.

Number of passengers carried one mile, on Concord Road, 4,667,384; Manchester and Lawrence Road, 1,852,687;

in all, 6,520,071.

Number of tons of merchandise carried in the cars, on Concord Road, 168,810; Manchester and Lawrence, 47,501; in all, 216,311 tons.

Number of tons of merchandise carried one mile, on Concord Road, 4,508,004; Manchester and Lawrence, 974,-

Number of passengers carried one mile, to and from other roads, 3.642,705.

Number of tons of merchandise carried one mile, to and

from other roads, on Concord Road, 3,723,212; Lawrence Road, 622,862.

Rate of speed adopted for express passenger trains, including stops, no express trains.

Average rate of speed actually attained by express passenger trains, including stops and detentions, no express trains.

Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 24 miles per hour, including stops.

Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops and detentions, 24 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed actually attained by special trains, in-

cluding stops and detentions, 24 miles per hour.

Average rate of speed adopted for freight trains, including stops and detentions, 12 miles per hour.

Expenditures for working the road.

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For repairs of road, maintenance of way, exclusive of wooden bridges and renewals of iron, For repairs of wooden bridges, For wages of switchmen, average per mo., For wages of gate-keepers, average per mo., For wages of signal-men, average per mo.,	\$33,102 207 4,666	88
For wages of watchmen, average per mo., For wages of conductors, average per month,	medice s cod good course on	
included in salaries, wages, &c., of passenger and freight departments. For wages of ticket masters, average per		
month, included in salaries, wages, &c., of passenger department.		
For removing ice and snow, (this item to include all labor, tools, repairs, except extra	ed registric	
steam power used,) For repairs of fences, gates, houses for signal-	631	55
men, gate-keepers, switchmen, tool-houses,	201	50
Total for maintenance of way,	\$38,609	83
Motive power and cars.		
For repairs of locamotives	\$18 93Q	07

For repairs of locomotives,	\$18,239 97
For new locomotives to cover depreciation,	4,426 13

For repairs of passenger cars, For repairs of merchandise cars, For repairs of gravel and other cars,	4,447 15 5,534 61 587 56
Total for maintenance of motive power and cars,	\$33,235 42
Number of engines, on Concord Road, 12; Manchester and Lawrence, 5. Number of passenger cars, Concord Road, 15; Manchester and Lawrence, 5. Number of baggage cars, Concord Road, 6; Manchester and Lawrence, 3. Number of merchandise cars, Concord Road, 240, estimated as short cars; Manchester and Lawrence, 81 short cars. Number of gravel cars, Concord Road, 15;	
Manchester and Lawrence, 10. Miscellaneous.	to extende to de now to type to extende to 3
For fuel used by engines during the year, including stationary engine, station houses, machine shops and cars, For oil used by cars and engines, at station houses and machine shops,	\$35,624 10 3,609 84
For waste and other material for cleaning, For salaries, wages and incidental expenses,	1,086 46
chargeable to passenger department, For salaries, wages and incidental expenses, chargeable to freight department, For creativities and demages including less had	18,618 40 24,143 13
For gratuities and damages, including lost bag- gage, For taxes and insurance on real estate and	755 53
property other than right of way, For repairs of station buildings, fixtures, fur- niture, aqueducts, &c., For ferries, nothing.	1,146 40 3,329 93
For amount paid other companies, in tolls for passengers and freight carried on their roads, specifying each company and the amount to each: Nashua Road, \$20,367 30; Low-	

ell, \$27,610 99; Lawrence, \$14,400 70; Maine Road, \$22,363 25; Salem and Lowell, \$1,194 74; Essex, \$1,856 47. For amount paid other companies as rent for the use of their roads, specifying each company and the amount to each: Manchester and Lawrence and Methuen Branch, \$47,-	
775 00.	
For salary of President, \$1000 per year, for 11 months,	916 67
For salary of Treasurer, \$1200 per year, for	310 01
11 months,	1,100 00
For salary of Superintendent, \$2000 per year,	
for 11 months,	1,833 33
Number of legal counsel retained, and amount	
paid them, no counsel generally retained by	· mask-
the road.	
Number of actions in court each year in which	
the corporation is a party, the expense of	
each action, the nature of the controversy,	
and the amount in question: suits vs. Gree-	entition has T
ley for right of way, \$78 86; Murch for	
personal damage, \$5 00; Wellington for	
lost baggage, \$15 00; Trustee suits, \$15;	réamont II la
road crossing in Bow, \$13 06; Hooksett	
Branch, \$86 00; connection with upper	20* 40
roads, \$94 50; in all,	307 42
All other expenses not included in the forego-	
ing items, viz: Shop and other tools, \$2,448 24	
General expense and other accounts, 3,297 03	th dennia
denotal expense and other accounts, 5,297 05	
and quided and property and	5,745 27
Total expenditures for working the roads,	\$170,061 73
Income during the year.	
2.100 into war ving vite year.	

For passengers:
1—On main road, including branches owned by company, 2—To and from other roads, specifying what,

\$104,622 48

and amount from each: Northern Road, \$8,778 23; Vt. Central, \$7,659 64; Passumpsic, \$8,054 53½; Montreal, \$13,372 38; Claremont, \$4,539 28½; Contoocook,	
\$3,924 93½; N. H. Central, \$1,587 33, For freight:	47,916 33
1—On main road and branches owned by com- pany,	79,624 11
2—To and from other connecting roads, and amount from each: Northern Road, \$20, 066 09; Vt. Central, \$29,807 04; Passumpsic, \$18,624 12; Montreal, \$18,008 41; Claremont, \$6,173 61; Contoocook Valley,	ad apadas to a selición alt to valar o'i selición ta to caisa y o'i
\$2,361 78,	95,041 05
U. S. Mails,	4,378 63
Rents,	1,574 84
Interest,	1,175 39
From all other sources, including express re-	
ceipts,	3,551 23
Total income, Net earnings, after deducting expenses, exclusive of tax on capital stock paid to the State	\$337,884 06
Treasurer, \$16,097 33,	\$167,822 33

Dividends.

Per cent. total, seven per cent. from earnings, viz: to Concord Road, \$103,950; Manchester and Lawrence Road and Methuen Branch, \$47,775; and two per cent. to Concord Road from former surplus, \$29,700. Total surplus not divided,

\$14,103 09

Estimated depreciation beyond the renewals, viz:

Road and bridges, none, excepting ordinary wear of rails.
Buildings, no depreciation.
Engines and cars, no depreciation.

Estimated increased value beyond depreciation, viz:

Roads and bridges, no increase.

Buildings, no increase.
Engines and cars, no increase.

Number of free passengers the last year, viz:

Number of persons connected with and in the employment of other corporations,

Number of other persons, except stockholders, when attending meetings of the corporation, including charity passes and men in the employ of the

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ISAAC SPALDING,
JOSIAH STICKNEY,
ROBERT READ,
URIEL CROCKER,
EMMONS RAYMOND,
ROBERT McGAW.

May 25th, 1852.

road.

Hillsborough ss., May 25, 1852.

Then personally appearing Isaac Spalding, Josiah Stickney, Robert Read, Uriel Crocker, Emmons Raymond and Robert McGaw, made oath that the within return by them signed is true, according to the best of their knowledge and belief.

Before me— JOHN H. GEORGE,

Justice of the Peace throughout State.

CONTOOCOOK VALLEY RAILROAD.

Return of the the Contoocook Valley Railroad, under the act of July 13, 1850, Chap. 953.

Capital stock, \$200,000 00 Increase of capital since last report, none.
Capital paid in per last report, \$91,485 07

Capital paid in since last report, none.
Total amount of capital stock paid in, 88,200 00
Funded debt, per last report, 104,000 00
Funded debt paid since last report, 31,700 00
Funded debt, increase of since last
report. 18,500 00
Total present amount of funded debt, 127,500 00
Floating debt, per last report, 19,187 39
Floating debt paid since last report, 4,779 58
Floating debt, increase of, since last
report, none.
Total present amount of floating debt, 14,407 81
Average rate of interest per annum paid during the year,
8 per cent.

Cost of Road and Equipment.

For graduation and masonry, per last report, \$59,666 28
For graduation and masonry paid during the past year, 870 46
Total amount expended for graduation and masonry. \$60,536 74
For wooden bridges, per last report, 5,094 35
For wooden bridges paid during the past year, 31 60
Total amount expended for wooden bridges, 5,125 95 For superstructure, including iron,
per last report, 83,024 86
For superstructure, including iron, paid during the past year, none.
Total amount expended for superstructure, including iron, 82,632 81
For stations, buildings and fixtures, per last report, 7,901 16
For stations, buildings and fixtures, paid during the past year, 127 25
Total amount expended for stations, buildings and fixtures, 8,028 41
For land, land damages and fences, per last report, 12,204 99
For land, land damages and fences, paid during the past year, 461 77

Total amount expended for land, land damages	10.000 80
and fences, and fences, tendence to the same tendence tendence to the same tendence to the same tendence tenden	12,666 76
For locomotives, per last report, 3,711 75	
For locomotives, paid during the	
past year, none.	
Total amount expended for locomotives,	3,711 75
For passenger and baggage cars, per	
last report, none.	
For passenger and baggage cars, paid	
during the past year, none.	
Total amount expended for passenger and bag-	
gage cars, none.	
For merchandise cars, per last report, none.	
Total amount expended for merchandise cars,	5,144 03
For engineering, per last report, none.	
For engineering, paid during the	
past year, 5,144 03	
Total amount expended for engineering,	14,107 76
For agencies and other expenses,	in agareva.
paid during the past year. 2.458 56	
paid during the past year, 2,458 56 Total amount expended for agencies and other	
paid during the past year, 2,458 56 Total amount expended for agencies and other expenses,	16,566 32

Total cost of road and equipment, including interest and discount on bonds, \$222,452 37

Characteristics of Road.

Length of road, 14½ miles, 74 rods.

Length of single main track, $14\frac{3280}{5280}$ miles.

Length of double main track, none.

Length of branches owned by the company, stating whether they have a single or double track, none.

Aggregate length of sidings and other tracks, excepting main track and branches, 3892 feet.

Weight of rail per yard in main road, 50 lbs.

Maximum grade, with its length in main road, $68\frac{1}{10}$ ft. per mile for 800 feet.

Average grade per mile of main road, $20\frac{3}{10}$ feet.

Total rise and fall in main road, 278 ft. rise and 73 ft. fall. Shortest radius of curvature, with length of curve in main

road, $477\frac{1}{2}$ ft. radius, 800 ft. long.

Total degrees of curvature in main road, 1654° 51'.

Total length of straight line in main road, $9\frac{188}{5280}$ miles. Aggregate length of wooden truss bridges, 208 ft. Aggregate length of all other wooden bridges, 326 ft. Whole length of road unfenced on both sides, 975 rods. Number of public ways crossed at grade, 18. Number of railroads crossed at grade, 1. Way stations for accommodation trains, 8. Flag stations, 4. Whole number of way stations, 8. Whole number of flag stations, 4.

Doings during the year.

Total miles run,

Number of passengers carried in the cars,

Number of tons of merchandise carried in the cars,

Rate of speed adopted for express passenger trains, including stops, 20 miles.

Average rate of speed actually attained by express passenger trains, including stops and detentions, 20 miles.

Rate of speed adopted for accommodation trains, 20 miles. Rate of speed actually attained by accommodation trains, including stops and detentions, 20 miles.

Average rate of speed actually attained by special trains, including stops and detentions, 20 miles.

Estimated weight in tons of passenger cars, (not including passengers,) hauled one mile, can't tell.

Estimated weight in tons of merchandise cars, (not including freight,) hauled one mile, can't tell.

Motive Power and Cars.

For repairs of locomotives, \$536

For new locomotives to cover depreciation, none.

For repairs of passenger cars, none.

For new passenger cars to cover depreciation, none.

For repairs of merchandise cars, none.

For new merchandise cars to cover depreciation, none.

For repairs of gravel and other cars, none:

Total for maintenance of motive power and cars, none.

Number of engines, 1.

Number of baggage cars, 1.

Number of merchandise cars, 1. Number of gravel cars, 9.

Miscellaneous.

For fuel used by engines during the year, viz: Wood, \$593 63 Coal, none. For oil used by cars and engines, 367 99 For salaries, wages and incidental expenses, chargeable to passenger department, 2,547 76 For salaries, wages and incidental expenses, chargeable to freight department, 2,898 00 For ferries, none.

For repairs of station buildings, fixtures and furniture, none.

For amount paid other companies, in tolls for passengers and freight carried on their roads, specifying each company and the amount to each, 10,941 19

For salary of president, none. For office expenses, none. For salary of superintendent, none. For office expenses, none. Number of legal counsel retained, and

amount paid them, none.

Total expenditure for working the road, average about \$800 per month.

Income during the year.

Whole net income to May 30, 1852, above paying expenses, \$1.020 55

Dividends, none. Estimated depreciation beyond the renewals, none. Estimated increased value beyond depreciation, none.

To the Hon. Legislature of the State of New Hampshire: In making the within report, we have endeavored, so far as possible, to make a clear and full report of the questions propounded.

Which is respectfully submitted.

DAVID STEELE,
JAMES BOYD,
THEODORE FRENCH,
JOSEPH A. GILMORE,

Concord, N. H., Merrimack ss., June 15, 1852.

Then personally appeared the above David Steele, James Boyd, Theodore French, Joseph A. Gilmore and made oath that the above report is substantially true according to their knowledge and belief.

Before me-J. A. POTTER, Justice of the Peace.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE, Treasury Office, Concord, June 2, 1852.

To the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives:

Gentlemen:—In obedience to the requisitions of law, I have prepared and respectfully submit to your body the following statement of the finances of the State, and of the receipts and disbursements at the Treasury for the year ending June 2, 1852.

The amount received, derived from all sources and received into the Treasury for the fiscal year, is two hundred and nine thousand nine hundred and ninety-eight dollars and thirty-seven cents, which amount includes the sum of eighty-nine thousand and one hundred dollars received on loans au-

thorized by acts of July 3d and 4th, 1851, three thousand and one hundred dollars received in trust from the estate of Jacob Kimball, and four thousand three hundred ninety dollars and eighty-six cents received from the Treasury of the United States for interest on advances made in repelling invasion and suppressing insurrection at Indian Stream.

The amount of expenditures for all purposes during the same period, including the payment of principal and interest on the debt against the State, is two hundred and two thousand and three dollars and eighty-three cents, leaving a balance in the Treasury, June 2, 1852, of seven thousand nine hundred and ninety-four dollars and fifty-four cents. Briefly stated in figures, these accounts make the following exhibit:

	o the Treasury during the fiscal year	
nary sour		\$113,407 51
Receipts fro	m authorized act of 3d July, 1851,	42,000 00
"	" 4th "	47,100 00
"	estate of Jacob Kimball,	3,100 00
"	Treasury of United States,	4,390 86

Total revenue, \$209,998 37 Whole amount of expenditures, 202,003 83

Balance in the Treasury, June 2, 1852, \$7,994 54

By the report on the finances which I had the honor to submit to the last Legislature, (June 4, 1851,) it appears the debt against the State, above the available funds, was

\$76,790 86

The debt against the state at this date, (June 2, 1852,) above the available funds, is 66,195 08

This exhibit of the receipts and expenditures during the fiscal year presents the gratifying fact that the receipts into the Treasury, exclusive of loans, have exceeded the expenditures in the sum of \$10,595 78.

REVENUE OF THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Tax on the Ashuelot Railroad, \$1,298 27

"Boston, Concord and Mon-

treal Railroad, 2,923 71
Boston and Me. Railroad, 5,575 43

Tax on	the	Concord Railroad, 10,772 1	18	
"	"	Cheshire Railroad, 6,878 0)6	
44	66	Cochecho Railroad, 912 1	6	
	"	Concord and Claremont		
		Railroad, 282 9	THE RESERVE OF THE PERSON OF T	
"	"	Contoocook Valley Railroad, 83 9	96	
66	"	Eastern Railroad, 3,369 9	95	
Je "	46	Great Falls and Conway		
		Railroad, 310 3	35	
-1044 8 81	"	Manchester and Lawrence	drait bas be	
		Railroad, 4,697 5		
"	"	Northern Railroad, 12,386 8	30	
	"	Nashua and Lowell Rail-	lied in Let	
		road, 1,246 5	52	
11066	"	Portsmouth and Concord	William Wilson	
SECTION OF SECTION		Railroad, 641 1		
00.00	"	Sullivan Railroad, 1,068 6		
64	66	Wilton Railroad, 794 9	93	
66	"	Worcester and Nashua	10	
		Railroad, 317 4		
**	"	N. H. Central Railroad, 261 1		10
		a see somethmore and	-\$53,821	10
		State Tax.		
	7 0	m 1040 m1040 b10	20	
Receive	d S	tate Tax, 1847, \$16 8		
		1000,		
		1851, 58,987	- \$59,213	27
		BRIEF HUBIEAR ON SACIO	- \$39,213	31
		Civil Commissions.		
	121		and the	
		f Hon. John L. Hadley, Secretary	01	04
State	,		\$373	04
Receive	d c	of J. Smith, executor of the will	of	
		imball,	3,100	00
Receive	ed fi	om loan under act of July 3, 1851	, 42,000	00
		((4, (47,100	00
Receive	ed o	f Treasurer United States, interest of	on	
advar	nces	made U.S. in repelling invasion ar	nd	
		ng insurrection at Indian Stream,	4,390	86
		Tr Ece S		
To	otal	amount of receipts,	\$209,998	37

DISBURSEMENTS.

SALARIES, VIZ:

Governor.

Paid His	Excellency Samuel Dins	moor,	\$1000 00
	Judges of the Supe	rior Court.	
Paid Hon.	John J. Gilchrist, Andrew S. Woods,	\$1400 0 1200 0	
66	Ira A. Eastman,	1200 0	
66	Samuel D. Bell,	1200 0	
68	Ira Perley,	1200 0	
	SE GIST TO A CONTRACT OF		- \$6,200 00
	Judges of the Circ	cuit Court.	
Paid Hon.	George Y. Sawyer,	\$600 0	00
66	Charles R. Morrison,	900 0	
	00 829 annul a Jac	dirio E. Al	- \$1,500 00
	Justices of the Court of	Common Pl	leas.
Paid Hon.	Bradbury Bartlett,	\$187 0	Sanbon
66	James Pickering,	236 0	
46	George L. Whitehouse,	115 2	
"	Hiram R. Roberts,	109 2	Telephone and the second
66	Henry Y. Simpson,	205 2	
66	Thomas Cogswell,	243 6	
66	Thomas Rust,	58 0	
	Thomas P. Drake,	58 0	0
- "	Benjamin Wadleigh,	151 8	0
66	Jacob A. Potter,	143 6	
66 18	Jesse Carr,	204 0	
"	Jacob Whittemore,	213 0	0
4.6	Horace Chapin,	96 0	
00 0018	Nathan G. Babbitt,	96.0	Paid Hon JO
66	Ambrose Cossitt,	99 0	0
66	Eleazer Jackson,	161 4	
00 0002	David C. Churchill,	149 4	The same of the same
"	Oscar F. Fowler,	179 8	
	Nahum D. Day,	144 0	The same of the sa
	Robert Ingalls,	153 0	
		and the same of th	- \$9 002 QA

\$2,903 20

Judges of Probate.

Paid Hon. Ira St. Clair, "Charles W. Woodman, "Warren Lovell, "Jonathan T. Chase, "Horace Chase, "Luke Woodbury and estate,	\$417 50 167 00 142 00 177 50 286 25 136 34	His His F
William C. Clarke, Larkin Baker, John L. Putnam, Eleazer Martin, Benjamin Hunking,	167 00 337 50 175 00 275 00 108 00	\$2,389 09
Registers of Probat	e. u.	
Paid J. Hamilton Shapley, "William B. Morrill, "John H. White, O. A. J. Vaughan, Sanborn B. Carter, William P. Foster, Lemuel N. Pattee, George Starkweather, George W. Sturtevant, Henry E. Baldwin, Samuel Swasey,	\$346 50 115 50 233 00 183 00 183 00 386 25 580 00 230 00 75 00 225 00 380 00	\$2,946 25
Attorney General.	Benjamin Jacob A. 1	
Paid Hon. John Sullivan,		\$1,200 00
Adjutant General.		
Paid Hon. John Wadleigh,	Nathan G Ambress	\$400 00
Warden of State Priz	son.	
Paid Hon. Rufus Dow,	David (E. 1 Oscar F. 1	\$800 00
Chaplain of State Pro	ison.	
Paid Rev. Eleazer Smith,	38	\$200 00

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Secretary of State	e. The to 1	Paid Sherif
Paid Hon. John L. Hadley,		\$800.00
Treasurer of Stat	e.	
Paid Edson Hill,	BLE TO TOTAL	\$600 00
State Reporter.		go mem
Paid William L. Foster,		\$400 00
County School Commis	sioners.	Paid John
LIV WATER		
Paid Zebulon Jones,	\$170 00	
John D. Woodman,	37 50	
I nomas J. Greenwood,	75 00	
" Giles Leach,	60 00	
" Sanborn B. Carter,	120 00	
" Hall Roberts,	195 00	
" George W. Moor,	155 00	
" Joseph Perry,	60 00	
" A. H. Bennett,	60 00	bloc
" Dyer H. Sanborn,	135 00	
" Charles Shedd,	277 50	
" B. F. Whidden,	202 50	
AN TE-		\$1,547 50
County Solicitors		Tentil -
	. 1808.44 1	
Paid William Burns,	\$30 00	
" A. B. Williamson,	60 00	
" J. E. Sargent,	100 00	
" S. H. Ayer,	50 00	
" Samuel Emerson,	30 00	
"William P. Wheeler,	40 00	
, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	40 00	\$310 00
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Sheriffs for return of	votes.	
Paid Sheriff of Rockingham County,	\$7 60	
" Strafford County,	12 00	
" Carroll County,	11 00	
" Belknap County,	6 00	O
" Hillsborough County,	7 60	
" Cheshire County,		
Onesime County,	10 00	Horac

Paid Sheriff of Sullivan County, "Grafton County, "Coos County,	\$10 00 15 00 24 40	4400.00
Thursday of Stude.	E WEIGHT TO	\$103 6
Paid Treasurer of State balance due o ment of account, June 4, 1851,	n settle-	\$341 13
Orders on Legislative Re	solves.	
Paid John M. Lindsey, Dep. Com. Gen	of A andi	
eral,	\$89 00	
" A. G. Savory & Co.,	2 07	
" Town of Conway, for monument		
to Capt. J. W. Thompson,	100 00	will !
" N. P. Fogg,	11 00	
" P. G. Chase,	5 50	
" D. A. Hill,	23 50	
" Jason F. Nutter,	41 96	
" Luther Roby, balance due for		
block of Granite for Washing-		
ton Monument,	75 00	
" Rufus Merrill, stationery,	10 06	
" Grover & Sargent,	32 01	
" A. J. Edmunds,	17 25	
" Ithiel E. Clay,	38 00	
" Joseph Wheat,	33 80	ufot '
" Jesse Thomas, for gun-house,	50 00	
" Wm. P. Hill, Engrossing Clerk,	80 20	
" Daniel Lancaster, Chaplain Legisl	a-	
ture, 1851,	64 40	
" Currier, Doe & Co.,	7 20	
" Geo. O. Odlin & Co., Daily State	S-	
man,	75 00	
" B. F. Blaisdell, Representative from	m	
Goffstown,	56 00	
" Porter, Rolfe & Brown,	34 12	
L. D. Brown,	5 61	
" Joseph L. Locke, Com. Gen.,	481 37	
" Thos. J. Whipple, Clerk House of		
Representatives,	632 87	
" H. P. Rolfe,	49 00	
" Horace Call,	55 01	
Horace ban,	00 02	

Paid	B. W. Sanborn, stationery,	246	59	
66	William Fisk, keeper State House			
	and Yard,	321	04	
46	Butterfield & Hill, Daily Patriot,	75	00	
	Morrill & Silsby, Agents, books			
	and stationery,	337	22	
66	Page & Fay, carpeting for Council			
	Chamber,	61	86	
66	Edson Hill, P. O. account, &c.,	38	90	
44	Thomas J. Dow, for wood,	20	25	
22	John H. George, Clerk of Senate,			
	1850,	359	77	
"	G. P. Lyon,	18		
66	Tripp & Morril,	3	21	
46	S. Carter,	3	50	
66	Lowell Eastman,	32		
66	M. C. Cutchins,		50	AP AT DEC.
46	Seth Adams & Co., State Prison	in min		
	account,	100	00	
"	H. M. Robinson, factor of the land of the land		31	
46	M. B. Safford,	Carlo Control	00	
"	Rufus Dow, debt against State Pris-		00	
		1500	00	
46	Uri Lamprey, for examining ac-	1000		
	counts vs. State Prison,	14	00	
46	John Woodbury, for examining ac-	17	00	BALL
	counts vs. State Prison,	15	00	Jerrate 1864
"	Ralph Metcalf, for examining ac-	10	00	
OLT	counts vs. State Prison,	1/	00	
66		17	00	
	Sarah D. F. Young, for services of Gen. Young, late of Lancaster,			
	deceased, in militia, (Ind. Stream			
		475	00	
116	insurrection,)		26	
:6	Isaiah Piper,		69	
66 1	B. Gill,		50	
66	J. B. Smart,		30	
"	Wyatt & Teel,	4	50	
	Abraham Plumer, Representative	51	33	
44	from Gosport, 1846,	91	00	
	Town of Haverhill, dividend on	125	50	IN CHES
	railroad stock, 1849,	120	02	## 019 OF \$
				\$5,918 25 *

N. H. Reports.

N. H. Reports.	
Paid Hon. Joel Parker, 1250 copies, \$1,862 91 " John J. Gilchrist, copy, 648 00 " Ira A. Eastman, " 240 00 " Samuel D. Bell, " 234 00 " Ira Perley, " 174 00 " Andrew S. Woods, " 105 00	\$3,263 91
	Dontal L
Paid several towns, dividend for 1850, \$733 74 " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " " "	\$28,133 79
Paid N. H. Asylum, support of indigent insane,	\$2,021 66
Education of Deaf, Dumb and Bline	l.
Paid American Asylum for deaf and and dumb pupils, Hartford, \$2,162 50 Paid Perkins Institute for the Blind, 550 00	\$2,712 50
Pay of House of Representatives, June Session	on, 1851.
Paid travel roll, \$2,711 40 18,116 00	\$20,827 40
Pay of Hon. Senate, June Session, 185	HIOU SHE
Vonna late of Lancourer, which were the	1.
Paid travel roll, \$137 40	
" attendance roll, 954 00	\$1,001,40
" attendance roll, 954 00 Pay of Hon. Council.	\$1,091 40
" attendance roll, 954 00	\$1,091 40

Pay of Doorkeepers.

Pay of Doorkeepers.	
" I. R. Philbrick, 6. " E. Q. Fellows, 73 " David Harris, 70	66 00 64 20 73 00 70 00 4 20 \$227 40
Bounty on Bears, Wild Cats, Cross	nvs, &c.
Paid selectmen of several towns, bounty bears, wild cats, crows, &c.,	\$5,779 60
Pay of County School Commissi	ioners.
Paid travel and attendance, August session, 1851, Paid travel and attendance, April ses-	89 89 12 20 14 20
Hank phothal and , the co-	\$616 29
Library and Librarian.	interest on ne
"Hon. John Preston, 15 S. C. Eastman, 70	00 00 22 00 70 00
Carpentor, interest on	\$269 07
State Printers.	Paid Moody Ken
Paid Butterfield & Hill, Publishing Laws.	\$3,408 99
Paid sundry publishers of newspapers,	\$765 80
Books and Stationery for Conv	victs.
Paid Rev. Eleazer Smith, for purchase of be and stationery,	900ks \$100 00
Estate of Catharine Fisk.	
Paid Eliza P. W. Hastings, annuity for 185	\$250 00

Estate of Jacob Kimball.

Paid N. H. Asylum, interest for one year on amount held in trust,

\$205 80

For money borrowed.

Paid Thomas P. Treadwell, interest on note dated July 10, 1849, \$20 00 Paid Sarah L. E. Carter, interest on note, money borrowed for N. H. Asylum, 30 00 Paid R. F. Foster, principal and interest, note dated Jan. 2, 1851, 1,031 00 Paid Jeremiah H. Wilkins, principal and interest, note dated May 13, 1851, 1,311 05 Paid Noah M. Cofran, principal and in-
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Paid Noah M. Cofran, principal and in-
terest, note dated April 18, 1851, 1,012 83
Paid Amoskeag Bank, principal and in-
terest, note dated Dec. 21, 1850, 10,345 00
Paid Mechanicks Bank, principal and
interest on notes dated July 12,
1850, Jan. 6, April 2, 16, July 1,
1851, 57,844 65
Paid Samuel Chesley, interest on note,
money borrowed for N. H. Asylum, 267 00
Paid David M. Carpenter, interest on note, money borrowed for Asylum, 180 00
Paid Moody Kent, interest on notes, money borrowed for Asylum, 210 00
Paid Charlotte H. Woolson, interest on
note, money borrowed for Asylum, 60 00
Paid Lemuel N. Pattee, principal and
interest, note dated Dec. 5, 1850, 1,048 83
Paid Nashua Bank, principal and inter-
est, note dated Dec. 20, 1850, 5,268 00
Paid John H. Stevens, interest on note
dated Dec. 11, 1850, 36 00
Paid Sarah C. Moore, principal and in-
terest, note dated Jan. 2, 1851, 423 33
Paid Webster & Peaslee, Executors,

principal and interest, note dated Dec. 18, 1850, Paid Charles H. Dow, principal and interest, note dated Dec. 17, 1850, Paid Jeremiah H. Wilkins, interest on notes dated Oct. 2, 1849, Feb. 5, 1850, Paid Aaron Whittemore, interest on notes dated Jan. 26, May 1, 1850, Paid Charles H. Carpenter, interest on note date dated Feb. 5, 1851, Paid Amoskeag Bank, principal and ininterest, note dated July 2, 1851, \$96,666	
Officers' School of Instruction.	
Paid officers and musicians, travel and attend-	4 96
Volunteer Militia.	
Paid sundry towns, per acts of June sessions, 1850-51, \$4,57	7 00
Clerks Superior Court.	
Paid travel and attendance, Clerks of the Superior Court, December session, 1851, \$18	9 70
Military Appropriations.	wed.
	0 00
State Reform School.	
Paid John S. Woodman, \$15	1 15
Contingent Fund.	
Paid William Boardman, \$27 20 " E. S. Lawrence, 25 40 " W. W. Eastman, 28 00 *** ***	0 60
Total amount of expenditures, \$202,000	3 83

SUMMARY STATEMENT OF THE FOREGOING ACCOUNT.

A condensed statement from the Treasurer's books.

Money borrowed, Money received on loan—act of	\$42,000	00
July 4, 1851,	47,100	00
Railroad tax for 1851,	53,821	10
State tax outstanding, 1847,	16	80
" 1850,	209	27
State tax for 1851,	58,987	30
Civil commissions,	373	04
Legacy of Jacob Kimball, in trust,	3,100	00
Received from U. S. Treasury,	4,390	
chool of Instruction.	& winne	-\$209,998 37
		an in amount
Salaries,	\$23,227	17
N. H. Reports,	3,263	
Railroad tax dividends,	28,133	
Deaf, dumb and blind,	2,712	
Insane, and and to some	2,021	
Legislature,	24,035	
State Prison,	1,500	
State Printers,	3,408	
Publishing laws,	765	
Militia,	4,791	
Bounty on crows, bears, wild cats, &		
For money borrowed,	96,660	
Incidental account,	5,701	
Cash in Treasury,	7,994	
Relative Schools A	,,55±	_\$209,998 37
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Respectfully submitted, EDSON HILL, Treasurer.

APPENDIX.

SURPLUS REVENUE

The amount of "Surplus Revenue" not withdrawn from the Treasury, June 1, 1851, is as follows:

Principal.

Amount of principal, the same being loaned upon	
	\$1,009 44

Interest. My shall w bon sa com A

Amount of interest in the Treasury,		
June 1, 1851,	\$527 45	
Amount of interest due on said loan,	T and	
June 1, 1852,	60 51	
10 828 00 517 75 10 715 10	S. S	\$587 96

Amount withdrawn—Interest.

Cash paid Hart's Location, interest in full to June 1, 1851, Cash paid town of Clarksville, interest	\$3 60	
in full to June 1, 1851,	4 67	\$8 27
Amount of interest in the Treasury and	THE RESERVE THE PROPERTY OF THE PARTY OF	\$579 69

The following table exhibits the several towns and places to which this money is due, and the amount due each on the first day of June, 1852:

an paid Isline P. Hastings, un-	Principal.	Interest.
Cambridge, interest paid to Dec. 1, 1849,	\$160 56	\$24 07
Clarksville, interest paid to June 1, 1851,	155 31	9 32
Dixville,	80 28	67 10
Dix's Grant,	40 14	33 48
Ervin's Location,	13 38	11 16

Green's Grant,	6 66 5 46
CIOCII S CILLIU,	0 14 33 46
Hart's Location, interest paid to June 1, 1851, 4	
Hale's Location,	0 04 17 28
Hale S Libeation,	6 76 22 32
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	0 14 33 48
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Pinkham's Grant, interest paid to June 1,	3 38 8 76
1041,	
Social College Clair,	
Duccess;	3 80 111 89
Wentworth's Location, 5	8 11 48 56
Amount not withdrawn, June 1, 1852, \$1,00	9 44 \$579 69
LITERARY FUND.	
The amount of Literary Fund remaining in th	ne
Treasury, June 1, 1852, being the sum	of
former dividends to sundry unincorporate	ed
places, is	\$28 91
The folllowing are the places to which this su	m
is due, with the amount each, viz:	
Second College Grant, \$11	33
Wentworth's Location, 17	58
The second secon	\$28 91
TEGACIA OF CAMILADINE PIC	TZ III
LEGACY OF CATHARINE FIS	K.
Amount received into the Treasury, in purs	u- ab terrore A
ance of an act of the Legislature, passed	
the November session, 1844, and holden	in
trust by the State,	\$5,419 67
	- The state of the
The payments made by virtue of said act a	
1846, June 11—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings,	an-
nuity for 1846,	\$250 00
1847, June 3-Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings,	an-
nuity for 1847,	250 00
1848, June 14—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings,	an-
nuity for 1848,	250 00
1849, June 6—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings,	an-
nuity for 1849,	250 00

1850, June 6—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1850,
1851, June 6—Cash paid Eliza P. Hastings, annuity for 1851,

250 00

\$1,500 00

LEGACY OF JACOB KIMBALL.

Amount received into the Treasury, in pursuance of an act of the Legislature, passed at the June session, 1850, and holden in trust by the State, \$7,530 00 1851, July 24—Paid N. H. Asylum, by virtue of said act, \$205 80

RAILROAD DEPOSITS.

The amount which has been deposited in the Treasury by the several railroad corporations, together with the amount paid, and the amount still remaining on deposit, is presented in the following tabular view:—

CHESHIRE RAILROAD.

Notices.

1845, May 14, cash deposited for publishing notices in several newspapers,

Cash paid for publishing notices,

\$26 25

Land Damages.

Amount deposited at sundry times for payment of land owners, \$11,984 68
Amount paid damages to sundry land owners, to
June 1, 1852, 11,962 68

Amount remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, \$22 00

NORTHERN RAILROAD.

Notices.

1845, June 24, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$28 25 Cash paid for publishing notices, 28 25

Land Damages.

1847, June 26, cash deposited for payment	of land
owners,	\$11,435 00
Cash paid damages to sundry land owners,	11,348 00

Amount remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, \$87 00

FRANKLIN AND BRISTOL RAILROAD.

Notices. Mod bary 1881

1847, July 1, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$40 Cash paid for publishing notices,	00 00
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Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852, \$10 00

Land Damages.

1847, Dec. 27, cash deposited for payment of	land
damages,	\$2,925 92
Cash paid land owners,	2,877 00

Cash remaining on deposit for land owners, June 1, 1852, \$48 92

BOSTON, CONCORD AND MONTREAL RAILROAD.

Notices.

1847, Sept. 24, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$50 50 Cash paid for publishing notices, 50 50

Land Damages.

1847, July 27, cash deposited for payment of land		
owners, and the large to the combine garden men	\$89	00
Cash paid land owners,	89	

WILTON RAILROAD.

Notices.

1847, Nov. 27, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$24 25 Cash paid for publishing notices, 24 25

Land Damages.

Lana Damages.
Amount deposited at sundry times for payment of land owners, \$9,117 00 8,737 00
Cash remaining on deposit for land owners, June \$380 00
PORTSMOUTH AND CONCORD RAILROAD.
Notices.
1846, March 4, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$26 25 Cash paid for publishing notices, 20 00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852, \$6 25
Land Damages.
Amount received at sundry times for payment of land owners, \$523 00. 290 00
Cash remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, \$233 00
SULLIVAN RAILROAD. WO had brag das
Notices. rogels as guinamer des.)
1847, June 16, cash deposited for publishing notices, \$46 00 Cash paid for publishing notices, 30 00
Cash remaining on deposit for publishing notices, June 1, 1852, \$16 00
Land Damages. but gillinging facts
1848, Feb. 1, cash deposited for payment of land owners, Cash remaining on deposit for payment of land owners, June 1, 1852, 301 00

MANCHESTER AND LAWRENCE RAILROAD.

Notices.

1847, cash deposited for publishing notices, Cash paid for publishing notices,	\$86 58	00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$28	00
Land Damages.		
1848, Nov. 22, cash deposited for payment of lan owners, Cash paid land owners,	\$6,955 6,650	
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$304	33
COCHECHO RAILROAD.		
Notices.		
1848, Feb. 25, cash deposited for publishing notice Cash paid for publishing notices,	es, \$44 36	
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$8	00
Land Damages.		
Amount deposited at sundry times for payment of	of	
land owners, Cash paid land owners,	\$3,542 3,314	
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$228	50
CONCORD AND CLAREMONT RAILROAD	Sant Ch	
Notices.		
1848, Sept. 1, cash deposited for publishing notic Cash paid for publishing notices,	es, \$44 36	

Land Damages.

\$8 00

Cash remaining on deposit,

1850, Dec. 6, cash deposited for payment of land	
owners,	\$781 00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	781 00

CONTOOCOOK VALLEY RAILROAD.

Notices.

1848, Nov. 8, cash deposited for publishing notices,	\$44 00
Cash paid for publishing notices,	38 00
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$6 00

Land Damages.

1848 and	1850, cash deposited for payment of land		
owners	, arenvo bast b	\$285	00
Cash paid	land owners,	285	00

PETERBOROUGH AND SHIRLEY RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, Jan, 3, cash deposited for publishing notices, Cash paid for publishing notices,	
Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$4 00

NEW HAMPSHIRE CENTRAL RAILROAD.

Notices.

1848, Dec. 19, cash deposited for publishing notices, Cash paid for publishing notices,		\$44 38	
	Cash remaining on deposit, June 1, 1852,	\$6	00

ASHUELOT RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, Feb. 7, cash deposited for publishing notices,	\$7	00
Cash paid for publishing notices,	7	00

CONNECTICUT RIVER AND MONTREAL RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, March 23, cash deposited for publishing notices, a Cash paid for publishing notices,	\$2 00 2 00
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GREAT FALLS AND CONWAY RAILROAD.

Notices.

1850, cash deposited for publishing notices,	\$2 00
Cash paid for publishing notices,	2 00

WHITE MOUNTAINS RAILROAD.

Notices.

1849, Nov. 22, cash deposited for publishing notices,	\$5	50
Cash paid for publishing notices,	5	50

ATLANTIC AND ST. LAWRENCE RAILROAD.

Land Damages.

1851, April 24, cash deposited for payment of	of lan	d
owners,		\$3,203 00
Cash paid sundry land owners,		3,143 00
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Cash remaining on	deposit for	payment of	land	
owners, June 1, 18				\$60 00

NOTES STANDING AGAINST THE STATE, JUNE 2, 1852.

Due	Parker Jones, note dated June 22, 1848, \$782 00
"	loan obtained for N. H. Asylum, 1849, 15,000 00
"	" under act of July 4, 1851, 47,100 00
"	Charles H. Carpenter, note dated Feb. 5, 1851, 1,000 00
"	Thos. P. Treadwell, note dated July 10, 1849, 400 00
"	balance of legacy of Catharine Fisk, in trust, 3,919 67
"	legacy of Jacob Kimball, in trust, 6,530 00
"	
	Dec. 5, 1851, 1,000 00

200. 0, 1001,	2,000
Amount of indebtedness,	\$75,731 67
Deduct available funds, viz: cash in	

the	Treasury,	\$7,994 54
Taxes	outstanding,	1,542 05

9,536 59

Amount of indebtedness above available funds, \$66,195 08

FIRE INSURANCE COMMISSION-ERS' REPORTS.

URI LAMPREY'S REPORT.

To His Excellency the Governor, and to the Honorable Senate and House of Representatives of the State of New Hampshire:

The undersigned, Fire Insurance Commissioner, has made a full examination into the condition, affairs and management of the several mutual fire insurance companies hereinafter mentioned, and respectfully submits the following

REPORT:

UNION MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

This company was organized July 31st, 1848. The offi-

cers of the company are as follows:

Thomas P. Treadwell, President; George Jones, Treasurer; J. E. Lang, Secretary; Thomas P. Treadwell, Asa Fowler, N. S. Chandler, John Gass, Ezra Carter, George Porter, John M. Hill, Josiah Minot, E. T. Stevens, John Lancaster, Directors.

The amount of property at risk, January 1st, 1852, in New

Hampshire, is as follows:

In the Farmers' class, " Village "

Mercantile "

\$319,750 00 443,617 00 319,774 00

210	
In the Manufacturers' class,	201,707 00
The amount of property at risk January 1,	1,284 848 00 5,240,331 67
10tal,	6,525,179 67
The amount of premium notes in New Hamary 1, 1852, is as follows:	npshire, Janu-
In the Farmers' class, " Village " " Mercantile " " Manufacturers' class,	\$12,975 00 27,251 00 31,237 00 37,383 00
Total in New Hampshire, The amount of premium notes, Jan. 1, 1852, in the above named classes, in other States, is	\$108,846 00 429,315 23
Total,	\$538,161 23
The amount of cash premiums received in shire from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, is as	n New Hamp- follows:
In the Farmers' class, "Village " Mercantile " Manufacturers' class,	\$108 65 298 99 222 56 188 44
Total in New Hampshire, The amount of cash premiums received ou of the State, in the above-named classes, fo same time, is	3,711 26
Total,	\$4,529 90
The above is the net amount received for	cash premiums

Expense of adjusting losses the year ending Jan. 1, 1852, \$305 22. the past year.

The sum paid out for travel and board while attending

to the adjustment of losses, is \$287 62.

Officers or agents while attending to the adjustment of losses are allowed \$2 per day and travelling expenses, and also \$1 for a written report of loss examined.

Ten per cent. is allowed agents for collecting assessments.

Salaries and emoluments of officers.

Jacob A. Potter of Concord, N. H., was President of this company from its organization to July, 1850. For his services as President and expenses in adjusting losses, &c., he presented a bill amounting to \$1802 44. This bill was referred to a committee of two Directors, who reported that Potter be allowed the sum of \$1200, in full for his claim against the company. This sum Mr. Potter refused to accept; and agreeably to a vote of the stockholders of the company, passed at the annual meeting in July last, the account was submitted to referees, whose decision was to be final and binding upon both parties. The referees awarded Mr. Potter \$1441 92; fees of reference, \$45 00. This sum of \$1486 92 is, therefore, the cost to the company for Judge Potter's services as President, including expense, up to July, 1850.

The salary of the President the past year was All other emoluments of do., The salary of the Secretary, "Treasurer, Paid N. S. Chandler, Director, for approving 3683 applications, (Mr. Chandler devotes the whole of his time to the business of the office, being the principal approving Director,) Paid N. S. Chandler for attending 25	\$400 00 217 00 800 00 600 00
Paid Asa Fowler, Director, for approving applications, Paid Asa Fowler for attending 11 monthly and special masters.	393 30
Paid John Gass, Director, for approving	195 20

applications, Paid John Gass for attending 22 month- ly and special meetings, \$184 10 22 00	204 10
Paid C. Barton, Director, for attending 4 monthly and special meetings, Paid A. Bean, Director, for attending 1 do., 7 do	4 00 1 00 7 00 9 00 6 00 3 00 1 00 45 50
	\$2,886 10

Agents are paid one dollar for each application approved.

Paid for postage and express from Jan. 1, 1850, to Jan. 1, 1852, Paid for books, printing, stationery, &c., "rent,	\$260 39 390 19 125 00
Chargeable to Secretary's department, Miscellaneous expenses,	\$775 58 51 97
HIBOOTONIA TO THE PARTY OF THE	\$827 55

This company has one General Agent, E. T. Stevens, who is also a Director. The duties of the General Agent are to collect assessments, and to settle the accounts of all local agents. The salary of the General Agent is \$800 per annum, and his travelling expenses. It is estimated that the amount of collections made by the General Agent, allowing 10 per cent. for the same, (the per centage allowed other Agents,) will pay his salary and expenses.

The above is the whole amount each officer has, or is to receive, for his services for the year ending Jan. 1, 1852.

ASSESSMENTS, COLLECTIONS, &c.,

	Class.	Village. Farmers'. 1stass't Me'tile. 2d " 1st ass't Manuf. 2d " 3d "	late late
2.	Amount paid on lesses out of New Hamp-shire.	1,112 06 $2,776 95$ $7,121 59$ $13,991 15$	25,011 75
186, 185	Amount paid on losses in N. H.	$\left.\begin{array}{c} 365\ 71\\ 946\ 49\\ 2226\ 46\\ \end{array}\right\}$	9,626 01 25,011 75
annary	Amount due on asses'ts of H. H. Jo tuo	2,790 07 700 51 12,307 03 920 50 4,521 36 14,211 89	35,451 36
iny to J	Amount due on assess- . H.M ni sanom	596 83 261 61 2,296 66 346 59 669 73 3,577 96	\$7,749 38
From the organization of the Company to January 1st, 1852.	Amount collected on assessments out of New Hampshire.	2,338 33 4,454 54 9,294 16 3,310 66 12,846 16	\$32,243 85 \$7,749 38
	Amount collected on as- sessments in N. Hamp- prire.	777 14 1,871 67 2,748 29 2,499 00 3,466 47	\$11,362 51
	Amount of Company indebtedness out of the State.	16,126 36	\$16,126 36
	Amount of Co. indebt- edness in New Hamp- spire.	89 940,71	\$17,075 68
	Sums assessed on pre- mium notes out of the State.	5,129 90 5,389 50 22,633 87 4,610 12 17,870 37 14,211 89	\$69,845 65
	Sums assessed on prem. notes in New Hamp- shire.	1,373 97 2,231 78 5,350 31 3,123 23 4,521 36 3,577 96	\$20,178 61

Total amount assessed on premium notes in New Hampshire, Total amount assessed on premium notes in oth-	\$20,178 61
er States,	69,845 65
Total,	\$90,023 26
Of the above amount, the sums collected on assessments in New Hampshire has been In other States,	11,362 57 32,243 85
Total, The amount now due on the above assessments	\$43,606 42
in New Hampshire is \$7,749 38 In other States, \$35,451 36	43,200 74
The state of the s	\$86,807 16
Estimated deduction on assessments to those	φου,ου. 10
who paid within a given time, and for collection,	3,216 10
Total,	\$90,023 26
Means and liabilities of the company, Januar	y 1, 1852.
Amount of indebtedness in New Hampshire, other States,	\$17,075 68 16,126 36
Supplied the second of the sec	\$32,202 04
Estimated amount due to general Agent and Treasurer, for salaries, and due for adjusting losses, about Estimated amount of indebtedness, all of which	1,200 00
is in other States, for losses prior to January 1, 1852, unsettled,	4,762 92
Total, A portion of the above is on interest.	\$39,164 96
To meet which the company has-	
Cash on hand, January 1, 1852, \$8,800 00)

Amount due on assessments in New Hampshire, \$7,749 38
Amount due an assessments
in other States, 35,451 36
\$43,200 74
Deduct 10 per cent. for collecting. 4,320 07
lecting, 4,320 07
\$38,880 67
Estimate of losses by bad debts, 6,292 78
32,587 89
\$41,387.89
Amount of means over indebtedness, 2,222 93
\$41,387 89
There is also due from Cyrus Barton, late Treasurer, for balance of his account, the sum of
urer, for balance of his account, the sum of 133 59
\$41,521 48
It is proper here to state that included in the above amount of indebtedness in New Hampshire, is the sum of \$3,241
due to the premium funds of the company.
The amount of all losses in New Hampshire
has been, \$24,195 57 The amount of all assessments in New Hamp-
shire has been, 20,178 61
Leaving the sum of \$4,016 96
excess of losses over assessments.
The amount of all losses in other States has been,\$54,201 38
The amount of all assessments in other States has been, 69,845 65
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Excess of assessments over losses in other States, \$15,644 27

If to the above amount of \$4,016 96 is added the 10 per cent. to those who pay within a given time, or for collection, it will reduce the amount of assessments in New

Hampshire \$2,017 86. Thus it appears that the company has allowed for losses in New Hampshire, the sum of \$6,034 82 more than all the assessments against its members residing in the State.

From the assessments in other Sates the 10 per cent. should also be deducted, as follows, \$15,644 27 10 per cent., 6,984 56

Excess of assessments in other States over all losses, \$8,659.71

There is an executive committee, three of whom are a quorum for doing business. The executive committee consists of Thomas P. Treadwell, N. S. Chandler, J. Minot, Asa Fowler and John Gass.

The duties of the executive committee are to approve applications, to assent to the transfer or assignment of policies; and they are also empowered to adjust and vote losses, and to transact any other business connected with the management and affairs of the company. Their pay for the approval of applications and attending monthly or special meetings has been heretofore stated.

The value of the property to be insured is fixed by the applicant, and he is held responsible for the correctness of the representations embraced in the application. When property is destroyed, in case of over-valuation, if the parties cannot agree as to its true value, the matter is usually submitted to referees, agreed upon by both parties.

The amount paid for services and advice of counsel for the past year has been, including costs, \$47 54.

The expense of references the past year has been \$67 15.

Expenses chargeable to the Treasury Department-

Paid for postage and express,	\$222 00
" printing, stationery, &c.,	132 90
" auditors,	7 00
" burning fluid,	2 64
clerk hire,	102 00

RECAPITULATION.

Expenses for the past year.

Pay of President, Secretary, Treasurer, Clerk hire and Directors, including all emoluments for the past year,	\$2,886	10
Postage and express, Secretary's Department, Postage and express, 'Treasurer's De-		
partment, 222 00	482	39
Books, printing and stationery, Secretary's Department, \$390 19		
Books, printing and stationery, Treasurer's Department, 132 90	523	09
Miscellaneous expenses, Secretary's Department, Miscellaneous expenses, Treasurer's		
Department, 264	io helor	01
Office and Children H. Hudron Strame A.	54 125	
Office rent, Paid auditors,	200	00
Expenses of auditing losses,	305	
Paid for travel and board by President, while	t local	
adjusting losses,	287	62
Paid for services and advice of counsel, includ-		
ing costs,	ARCHIOL TON	54
Paid for expense of references,		15
" clerk hire, Treasury Department,	102	00
Total expenses for the year,	\$4,887	72

The salary of the General Agent of the company, and his expenses, are not included in the above, as it is estimated that he collects a sufficient amount of assessments to pay both; allowing 10 per cent. on the amount of collections, which is the rate per cent. allowed other agents.

Total amount of receipts and payments made by the Treasurer from the organization of the company to January 1, 1852:—

Amount collected on assessments in New Hampshire,
do do do other States, \$11,362 57 32,243 85

Amount paid for losses in N. H., \$9,626 01
" " other States, 25,011 75

Balance, \$8,968 66

List of losses-Farm Class.

1849, Aug. 18, S. Palmer, Cape Elizabeth, Me., \$50; partial loss.

1850, May 1, S. Parker, Pepperell, Mass., \$78 25; partial loss.

1850, May 16, A. Turney, Fairfield, Conn., \$200; partial loss.

1850, June 15, E. Lang, Portland, Me., \$275; amount deducted on settlement, \$25; over valuation.

1850, June 23, S. R. Clement, Gorham, Me., \$314 50; total loss.

1850, June 27, S. Tillinghast, Exeter, R. Island, \$596; total loss.

1850, July 5, Joseph Pidge, Providence, R. Island, \$875; amount deducted on settlement, \$125; over valuation.

1850, Aug. 31, N. Legg, East Douglass, R. Island, \$10; partial loss.

1850, Nov. 12, A. T. Newhall, Lynnfield, Mass., \$40; partial loss.

1850, Nov. 12, Wilson & Cheeney, Manchester, N. H.; \$500; partial loss.

1850, Dec. 18, A. W. Kimball, Derry, N. H., \$25; partial loss.

1850, Dec. 9, C. B. Hildreth, Bow, N. H., \$12 84; partial loss.

1851, Feb. 7, J. Folsom, Newport, Me., \$50 claimed. Claim rejected because property was used for purposes not specified in the application.

1851, Feb. 25, T. Bean, Conway, N. H., \$404 16; total loss.

1851, March 4, F. Clark, Melrose, Mass., \$260 92; total loss. 1851, March 27, C. Vaughan, East Greenwich, R. Island, \$350; amount deducted on settlement, \$50; over valuation.

1851, April 9, W. R. Holmes, Salisbury, Mass., \$300; partial loss.

1851, June 5, G. W. Huling, West Greenwich, R. Island, \$200; partial loss.

1851, July 17, G. G. Durfee, Tiverton, R. Island, \$6; partial loss.

1851, July 25, widow and heirs of J. Bridges, Tewksbury, Mass., \$400; total loss.

1851, Aug. 16, A. Johnson, Manchester, N. H., \$150; total loss.

Total amount of losses in this class to Oct., 1851,

\$5,047 67

Total amount of losses in New Hampshire, \$1,092 00 other States, 3,955 67

The amount of the assessments ordered by the Directors for the payment of the above losses was \$6,392 20. This sum includes the sum of \$758 35, added for expense of making assessments, adjusting losses, interest, and probable lossess by bad debts, and also the sum of \$586 18 for collecting assessments.

Rate per cent.—about two mills per cent.

Losses in the Farm Class since October, 1851.

1851, Oct. 18, Mary Barney, Bellingham, Mass., \$400; total loss.

1851, Oct. 22, Bates & Smith, Chelsea, Mass., \$12; partial loss.

1851, Oct. 22, E. B. Hill, Billerica, Mass., \$233 40; total loss.

1851, Oct. 22, E. B. Hill, Billerica, Mass., \$1000; total loss. 1851, Nov. 20, D. A. Crosswell, Portland, Me., \$100. Claim not yet settled.

Total amount of losses in this class is \$1,745 40; in New Hampshire, none.

The Directors have not, as yet, ordered any assessment for the above losses, from Oct. 1, 1851.

Statement of losses-Village Class.

1850, Jan. 31, J. Knight, Lisbon, N. H., \$325; amount deducted on settlement, \$275; insured for \$600. Settled as per report of referees.

1850, June 14, D. Gordon, Manchester, N. H., \$10; partial

loss

1850, June 9, J. H. Welton, Alexandria, N. H., \$6; partial loss.

1850, Dec. 21, R. Ingalls, Shelburne, N. H., \$40; partial loss.

1851, Jan. 11, J. McLean, Hopkinton, N. H., \$7; partial loss.

1851, Aug. 21, J. Parsons, Rochester, N. H., \$34 25; award of referees.

1851, Nov. 12, A. Nudd, Wolfborough, N. H., \$5; partial loss.

1849, Aug. 12, A. Prentiss, Portland, Me., \$50; partial loss. 1850, April 4, E. Pearsons, Bangor, Me., \$550; total loss.

1850, April 23, C. Holland, Portland, Me., \$50; amount deducted on settlement, \$75; over valuation. Insured for \$125.

1850, June 26, G. Wiggins, Portland, Me., \$298 66; amount deducted on settlement, \$51 34; part of property saved.

1850, June 26, A. Libby, et al., Portland, Me., \$36 17; partial loss.

1849, Aug. 3, G. W. Teel, Danvers, Mass., \$15; partial loss. 1850, Aug. 28, E. Parmenter, South Boston, Mass., \$5; partial loss.

1850, Oct. 18, N. Hayward, North Bridgewater, Mass., \$14; partial loss.

1850, Nov. 21, N. Barker, Medford, Mass., \$282; partial loss.

1851, Feb'y 4, Thomas Taylor, Lynn, Mass., \$58; partial loss.

1851, March 28, H. P. Abbott, Dorchester, Mass., \$70; partial loss.

1851, April 23, R. Plumer, Newburyport, Mass., \$9 34; partial loss.

1851, May 1, P. Chevalier, Somerville, Mass.; \$800 insured. This claim rejected for misrepresentation.

1851, Oct. 5, J. Gilespie, Brighton, Mass., \$15 92; partial loss.

1851, Nov. 6, Pervere & Green, Reading, Mass., \$225; \$25 deducted for over valuation. A portion of the property not burnt. Insured for \$350.

1851, Nov. 6, R. P. Fogg, Haverhill, Mass., \$2 50; partial

loss.

1851, Nov. 27, J. P. Wason, Somerville, Mass., loss probably about \$250; insurance is for \$800. Claim is unsettled.

1850, Nov. 6, C. Hackett, Providence, R. Island, \$150; total loss.

1851, Jan'y 11, S. Hopkins, East Greenwich, R. Island, \$18; partial loss.

1851, Nov., P. Wallace, Providence, R. Island, \$4; partial

loss.

1850, March 19, H. B. Alvord, North Hartford, Conn., \$50; partial loss.

1851, July 24, M. O. Conner, Pittston, Me., \$197 24; total loss.

1851, July 10, G. Sterling, Bridgeport, Conn., \$47 14; partial loss.

1851, Sept. 7, G. F. Langworthy, Stonington, Conn., \$266 67; \$33 33 deducted for over valuation. Insured for \$300.

1851, Oct. 9, Thos. Danbury, East Cambridge, Mass., \$50; partial loss.

Total amount of losses in this class is, \$3,139 89

Total amount of losses in New Hampshire, \$427 25 contact of the States, \$2,712 64

The Directors of this company have not, as yet, ordered any assessment in this class.

Statement of losses—Mercantile Class.

1849, Feb'y, J. M. Fairfield, Lawrence, Mass., \$55; partial loss.

1849, July 14, Geo. Dame, Concord, Mass., \$5; partial loss. 1849, Nov., A. and E. Husband, Dover, N. H., \$4 40; partial loss.

1849, Nov. 27, W. Darwin, Charlestown, Mass., \$35; partial loss.

1849, Dec. 1, O. Bowen, Lawrence, Mass., \$7; partial loss.

1849, Dec. 1, R. E. Patten, Candia, N. H., \$9 09; partial loss.

1849, Dec. 13, J. R. Hill, Concord, N. H., \$112 50; partial loss.

1849, Dec. 13, A. Prescott & Son, Concord, N. H., \$500; partial loss.

1849, Dec. 13, Cowell & Ricker, Lebanon, Me., \$325; partial loss.

1850, Jan'y 1, A. Gibson, Rindge, N. H., \$500; total loss.1850, Jan'y 8, N. M. Crane, Buxton, Me., \$42 50; partial loss.

1850, Jan'y 8, J. Hodgdon, Barnstead, N. H., \$300; partial loss.

1850, Feb'y 6, D. F. Johnson, Enfield, N. H., \$40; partial loss.

1850, Feb'y 6, B. W. Shaw, Corrina, Me., \$4; partial loss. 1850, March 3, N. Hayward, Bridgewater, Mass., \$400; par-

tial loss.
1850, March 23, M. T. Meady, Salem, Mass., \$150; partial

1850, April 16, R. Briggs, Johnston, R. Island, \$1000; total loss.

1850, April 16, E. Angell, Johnston, R. Island, \$350; total loss.

1850, May 12, A. C. Collins, Chicopee, Mass., \$27 50; partial loss.

1850, May 20, J. A. Smith, et al., New London, Conn., \$5 72; amount deducted on settlement, \$194 28; \$200 claimed, but the Co.'s proportion of repairs was only \$5 72. Claim settled after the assessment had been made.

1850, June 7, G. B. Church, Taunton, Mass., \$30 77; partial loss.

1850, June 7, J. P. Streeter, Lowell, Mass., \$45; partial loss.

"A. & J. B. Richardson, Enfield, N. H., \$1664

25; amount deducted on settlement, \$335 75. Insurance was \$2000. Claim was settled as per their statement of loss.

1850, May 22, J. S. French, Lowell, Mass., \$421.

1850, June 20, J. B. Silver, Exeter, N. H., \$144; total loss. "21, M. Mosher, Bradford, Me., \$201; partial loss.

Total amount of losses in Mercantile Class to Nov. 1, 1850, \$6,081 73 Total amount of losses in New Hampshire, \$2,977 24 other States, 3,104 49

The amount of assessment ordered by the Directors for the payment of the above losses, was \$7,621 28. This sum included the sum of \$967 21 for expense of making assessments, adjusting losses, interest on money borrowed, and probable losses by bad debts; and also the sum of \$380 56 for collecting assessments.

Rate per cent.—about nine mills per cent.

Losses in Mercantile Class, continued.

1850, Oct. 28, G. W. Rogers, Somersworth, N. H., \$17 89; partial loss.

L. Miller, Richford, Vt., \$700; this claim rejected on account of fraud. It is now pending before the S. Court of N. H.

1850, Nov. 12, J. Skillings, Portland, Me., \$55; partial loss. 1850, Nov. 16, A. Starkey, Bristol, R. I., \$25; partial loss.

1850, Dec. 2, C. F. Blake, Boston, Mass., \$293 09; insurance was for \$500. Paid award of referees, \$293 09.

1850, Dec. 6, J. A. Swanton, Dexter, Me., \$275; partial

1850, Dec. 17, J. B. Megguire & Co., Bangor, Me., \$1000; total loss.

1850, Dec. 24, Z. Stewart, Gardiner, Me., \$325; partial loss.

1850, Dec. 24, Robinson & Rowell, Gardiner, Me., \$14 50; partial loss.

1851, Jan. 9, J. P. Philbrook, Saco, Me., \$1200; this claim has been rejected on account of fraud. The case is now pending before the S. Court of Maine.

1851, Jan. 9, E. Purdy, Saco, Me., \$200; total loss. 1851, Jan. 9, N. Nelson, Boston, Mass., \$4; partial loss.

1851, Feb. 18, A. H. Dunham, Lowell, Mass., \$95 92; partial loss.

1851, March 5, S. Shaw, Portland, Me., \$10; partial loss. 1851, March 5, R. Wyman, South Danvers, Mass., \$10;

partial loss.

1851, April 2, H. Corey, Troy, Vt., \$300; \$100 deducted on settlement. Insurance was \$400; deduction for over valuation.

1851, April 2, H. Atwood, Troy, Vt., \$800; \$600 deducted on settlement. Insurance was \$1400. Deduction made because by Insured's statement he had not the amount stated in his application. The amount of \$800 is arrived at by Insured's statement of loss.

1851, April 7, J. Brooks, Townsend, Mass., \$377 15; al-

lowed amount claimed.

1851, April 13, N. Whitman, East Bridgewater, Mass., \$15; partial loss.

1851, April 15, Bates & Smith, Chelsea, Mass., \$10; partial

loss.

1851, April 15, W. A. Dill, Malden, Mass., \$33; partial loss. 1851, April 17, M. C. Munger, Palmer, Mass., \$1000; \$500 deducted on settlement. This claim has been settled since the assessment was ordered, for \$500. Deduction made because Munger got insured in another company without giving us notice.

1851, May 7, J. Butterfield, Portland, Me., \$500; \$100 deducted on settlement. Insurance was \$600. \$100 de-

ducted for over valuation.

1851, May 8, M. M. Allen, Portland, Me., \$12; partial loss. 1851, June 1, J. Perley, Danvers, Mass., \$400; total loss.

1851, June 5, W. S. Jackson, Bangor, Me., \$1000; total loss.

1851, June 5, D. Webster, Bangor, Me., \$762 35; total loss. 1851, June 6, M. Curron, Woonsocket, R. I., \$352 35; \$52 35 deducted on settlement. This claim has been settled since the assessment was ordered. Deduction for

over valuation.
1851, June 9, J. F. Burnett, Charlestown, Mass., \$5; par-

tial loss

1851, June 9, E. Tilton, Newburyport, Mass., \$16; partial loss.

1851, June 21, S. A. Hopkins, Boston, Mass., \$191 17; partial loss. Awarded by referees.

1851, June 21, J. A. Woodman, Boston, Mass., \$25; partial loss

1851, June 24, Pool & Jacobs, Danvers, Mass., \$20; partial

1851, June 30, C. A. Chellis, Portland, Me., \$20; partial loss.

1851, July 12, J. Deane, Dedham, Mass., \$740; \$260 de-

ducted on settlement. Total loss. Amount determined

by referees. Insurance was \$1000.

1851, July 16, R. Kingsbury, Bath, Me., \$600; \$360 94 deducted on settlement. Insurance was \$600. Settled since assessment was ordered, for \$239 06, per award of referees.

1851, July 18, J. Folansbee, Pittston, Me., \$300; total loss.

1851, July 19, N. Barden, Bristol, R. I., \$25; partial loss. 1851, Aug. 8, J. Rodden, Boston, Mass., \$40; partial loss.

1851, Aug. 21, J. T. Dodge, Rochester, N. H., \$101 65; partial loss. Award of referees.

1851, Aug. 25, C. H. Peaslee, Concord, N. H., \$25; partial

loss.

1851, Aug. 25, J. Hazleton, Concord, N. H., \$556; \$126 deducted on settlement. Since the assessment was ordered, the Directors have voted to allow Hazleton \$430. Deduction made because statement was not satisfactory.

1851, Aug. 25, D. A. Hill, Concord, N. H., \$5 75; partial

loss.

1851, Aug. 25, H. Langley, Concord, N. H., \$10; partial loss.

1851, Aug. 25, M. H. Newman & Co., Concord, N. H., \$210;

partial loss. Award of referees.

1851, Aug. 25, Tripp & Osgood, Concord, N. H., \$187 50; \$112 50 deducted on settlement. Total loss. Award of referees.

1851, Aug. 25, R. C. Osgood, Concord, N. H., \$250; total

1000

1851, Aug. 25, William Walker, jr., Concord, N. H., \$600; total loss.

1851, Aug. 25, Porter, Rolfe & Brown, Concord, N. H., \$2000; total loss.

1851, Aug. 25, Porter, Rolfe & Brown, Concord, N. H., \$1300; total loss.

1851, Aug. 25, E. H. Rollins, Concord, N. H., \$500; total loss.

1851, Aug. 25, A. Hamlin, Concord, N. H., \$600. This claim is not settled.

1851, Aug. 25, Johnson & Dewey, Concord, N. H., \$140; partial loss. Award of referees.

1851, Aug. 25, J. Carter & Son, Concord, N. H., \$163; partial loss.

1851, Aug. 25, Edmunds & Robinson, Concord, N. H., \$160; partial loss.

1851, Aug. 25, B. F. Dunklee, Concord, N. H., \$16 25; partial loss.

1851, Sept. 6, O. Pray, Waterbury, Me., \$600. This claim is unsettled.

1852, Sept. 11, J. Kelly, Boston, Mass., \$31; partial loss. 1851, Sept. 24, M. D. Cook, Newburyport, Mass., \$1100. This claim is unsettled.

1851, Oct. 8, G. A. Stanton, Hopkinton, R. I., \$500; total loss.

1851, Oct. 16, J. N. White, Belfast, Me., \$382 50; partial loss. Award of referees.

1851, Oct 22, Bates & Smith, Chelsea, Mass., \$190; total loss.

1851, Oct. 26, N. Jennings, Bath, Me., \$100; total loss. 1852, Oct. 26, J. M. Keep, Bath, Me., \$550; total loss.

Total amount of loss in this class, from Nov. 1, 1850, to Nov. 1, 1851, \$22,048 07

Total amount of losses for same time in New Hampshire, 6,843 04

Total amount of losses for same time in other States, 15,205 03

The amount of assessment ordered by the Directors for the payment of the above losses was \$27,984 13. This sum includes the sum of \$3,392 06, for expense of making assessment, adjusting losses, interest on money borrowed, and probable losses by bad debts; also the sum of \$2,544 for collecting assessments.

Rate per cent.—about $1\frac{9}{10}$ per cent.

Losses in Mercantile Class since Nov. 1, 1851, continued.

1851, Nov. 14, W. Reynolds, Lynn, Mass., \$341 49; partial loss.

1851, Nov. 13, S. M. Nelson et al., Thorndike, Me., \$750. This claim is unsettled.

1851, Nov. 4, A. B. Sutton, Oldtown, Me., \$300; partial loss.

1851, Nov. 23, L. A. Martin, Bristol, R. I., \$12; partial loss.

1851, Nov. 23, Eddy & Cook, Providence, R. I., \$13 33; partial loss.

1851, Sept. 14, B. B. Leavitt, Eastport, Me., \$14 99; par-

tial loss. Unsettled.

1851, Sept. 14, D. Tomlinson, Washington, Conn., \$2; partial loss.

For the above losses, since Nov. 1, 1851, no assessment

has been ordered.

Statement of losses in Manufacturer's Class.

1849, Jan. 1, J. C. Norton, Frankfort, Me., \$249 54; partial loss.

1849, Feb. 17, B. D. Cilley & Co., Andover N. H., \$10;

partial loss.

1849, March 17, J. L. Miliken, Saco, Me., \$50; partial loss. 1849, March 24, G. O. Hilton, New Market, N. H., \$1000. Insurance was \$1500. \$500 deducted because there was not a sufficient amount of property in building named in application, at the time of the fire, to entitle him to full insurance, &c.

1849, May 8, S. K. Baldwin, Gilford, N. H., \$50; partial

loss.

1849, May 17, J. J. Knowlton, Portland, Me., \$86 67; partial loss.

1849, May 17, J. R. Harmon & Co., Portland, Me., \$174 14; partial loss.

1849, May 17, So. Worcester Woolen Co., \$12 50; partial

1849, I. P. Swazie, East Haven, Conn., \$400.

1849, June 27, J. G. Sinclair, Bethlehem, N. H., \$189.

1849, June 17, S. D. Whitehouse, Somersworth, N. H., \$6;

partial loss.

1849, June 13, Z. Wilbur, Raynham, Mass., \$200. Insurance was \$400. Company was sued for the balance. The President directed the payment of \$200 more, and the payment of costs, which was done.

1849, July 13, G. W. Garey, Somersworth, N. H., \$10;

partial loss.

1849, July 30, W. H. Phipps, Bradford, Me., \$200; total loss.

1849, Aug. 18, S. Ambrose, Eaton, N. H., \$2; partial loss.

1849, Sept. 6, W. E. Griffin & Co., Somersworth, N. H., \$175; partial loss.

1849, Sept. 15, L. H. Dow, Weare, N. H., \$306; partial

loss.

1849, Sept. 20, D. G. Goodall, ag't, Lisbon, N. H., \$950. Insurance was \$1000. \$50 deducted because there was not sufficient property to entitle to full insurance.

1849, Sept. 20, I. Goodall & Son, Lisbon, N. H., \$950. Insurance was \$1000. \$50 deducted for same cause as

above.

1849, Nov. 17, Smith & Dennison, Burke, Vt., \$700; partial loss.

1849, Dec. 11, A. Knapp, Lyndon, Vt., \$100; partial loss.1849, Dec. 15, West & Dolby, Haverhill, Mass., \$9 60; partial loss.

1850, Jan. 3, Mitchell & Jacobs, Hooksett, N. H., \$200; total loss.

Total amount of losses in this class to Jan 1, 1850, \$6,030 45

" " New Hampshire, 3,848 00 other States, 2,182 45

The amount of assessment ordered by the Directors for the payment of the above losses was \$7,733 35. This amount includes the sum of \$1010 for expense of making and collecting assessments, adjusting losses, and interest on money borrowed; also the sum of \$350 probable loss on assessments not collectable.

Rate per cent.—about $2\frac{2}{10}$ per cent.

Losses in the Manufacturers' Class, continued.

1850, Jan. 3, O. Knight, Lisbon, N. H., \$325; total loss. "Feb. 2, P. Kendrick, Corrina; insurance \$900. Claim rejected on account of fraud.

1850, March 2, M. G. Gray, Levant, Me., \$74 80; partial loss.

1850, March 7, H. M. Davis, Henniker, N. H., \$1,100; total loss.

1850, March, 22, W. S. Foster, Antrim, N. H., \$600; total loss.

1850, March 22, J. Graham, Lawrence, Mass., \$200; total loss.

1850, March 22, P. Merrill, Grafton, Vt., \$817; total loss. 16, O. C. Williams. Johnston, R. Island, \$300; partial loss.

1850, April 25, Smith & Gordon, Antrim, N. H., \$20; par-

tial loss.

1850, May 12, M. W. Graham, Carmel, Me., \$750; total

loss.

1850, May 12, L. C. Young, Epsom, N. H., \$200; total loss. Insurance was \$245. Amount allowed was per his statement of loss.

1850, June 13, S. R. Godfrey, Enfield, N. H., \$1000; total

1850, June 13, Leonard Sterns, Enfield, N. H., \$399 25; amount allowed was as per his statement of loss.

1850, June 18, E. G. Wright, Boston, Mass., \$25; partial

loss.

1850, June 18, T. Berteling, Boston, Mass., \$10; partial loss. A. Rasmusson, Charlestown; insurance was \$500. Claim rejected on account of fraud.

1850, June 2, R. S. Torrey, Bangor, Me., \$240; total loss. July 7, M. H. Simpson, Boston, Mass., \$48 12; partial loss.

1850, July 11, A. & D. M. Whittemore, Great Barrington, Mass., \$800; total loss.

1850, July 22, S. K. Remick, South Hardwick, Vt., \$1500;

total loss. 1850, July 20, H. K. Thompson, Sanbornton, N. H., \$687

50; total loss. 1850, July 29, D. Bowker, Boston, Mass., \$50; partial loss. Aug. 1, I. Gates, Boston, Mass., \$50; partial loss. " 4, J. E. Nyman, Malden, Mass., \$1200; total

1850, Aug. 12, R. N. Hutchins, Merrimack, N. H., \$85 79; partial loss.

1850, Aug. 21, B. P. Page, Bradford, N. H., \$1000; total

1850, Aug. 21, Rowe & Emery, Holyoke, Mass., \$76 49; partial loss.

1850, Sept. 5, Moses Ricker, Berwick, Me., \$125; partial

1850, Oct. 4, R. Joslyn, Johnston, R. I., \$1200; total loss.

1850, Oct. 4, O. Reed, Providence, R. I., \$100; partial loss.

Award of referees.

1850, Oct. 6, L. & B. Hathway, New Bedford, Mass., \$300; total loss.

1850, Oct. 15, D. Bowker, Boston, Mass., \$250; partial loss. " 18, W. H. Dudley, Chichester, N. H., \$350; total loss.

1850, Oct. 18, W. H. Dudley, Chichester, N. H., \$1,425; total loss.

1850, Nov., J. D. Hathaway, Fall River, Mass., \$12; partial loss.

1850, Nov. 8, R. Crisp, Chelsea, Mass., \$790; insurance was for \$1000. Amount allowed was as per his statement of loss.

1850, Nov. 8, J. C. Hill, Athol, Mass., \$800; total loss.

"H. Caryl, Boston, Mass., \$15; partial loss.

Dec. 17, J. McKay, Boston, Mass., \$300; total loss.

24, M. Ricker, Berwick, Me., \$275; total loss.

This claim was settled after the assessment was made. Repairs done by insured, and cost of same allowed, as per bill.

Total amount of losses in this class from Jan. 1850, to Jan., 1851, \$17,684 70

Total amount of losses for same time in New Hampshire, do do in other States 47,192 54

The amount of assessment ordered by the Directors for the payment of the above losses was \$22,391 73. This includes the sum of \$2,654 64, for expense of making assessment, adjusting losses, interest on money borrowed, and probable losses by bad debts, and the sum of \$2,035 63 for collecting assessments.

Rate per cent.—about $2\frac{4}{10}$ per cent.

Losses in Manufacturers' Class, continued.

1851, Jan. 8, G. Packard, Fall River, Mass., \$8 10; partial loss.

1851, Jan. 3, Clark & Webster, West Charlestown, Vt., \$991 72; total loss.

1851, Jan. 16, Thomas Marble, Warwick, R. I., \$58 33; Amount deducted on settlement, \$141 67; insurance, \$200. Deduction made for over valuation, and was insured and paid in another company for part of loss.

1851, Jan. 16, Lindsey, Jourdan & Co., Warwick, R. I.— This claim, which was for insurance of \$800, has been rejected on account of fraudulent statement of loss.

1851, Jan. 29, J. Scott, Plainfield, Vt., \$50; partial loss.

"Feb. 3, S. Hood, Dorchester, Mass., \$173 50; partial loss.

1851, Feb. 11, J. M. Pratt, Bath, N. H., \$1,107 50; total loss.

1851, March 15, N. A. Day, Underhill, Vt., \$386 25; total loss.

1851, March 15, A. Bicknell, Underhill, Vt., \$366 25; total loss.

1851, March 17, Pierce & Brown, Portland, Me., \$250; total loss.

1851, March 17, C. Gage, Manchester, N. H., \$4 50; partial loss.

1851, March 22, Bigelow & Wright, Natick, Mass., \$40; partial loss.

1851, March 22, S. Ambrose, Eaton, N. H., \$3 50; partial loss.

1851, April 2, A. E. Perrin, Sekonk, Mass., \$419 75; total loss.

1851, April 16, C. R. Merrill, Frankfort, Me., \$150; total loss.

1851, May, L. Brayton, Cranston, R. I., \$10; partial loss.

"R. S. Thornton, Scituate, R. I., \$20; on two policies.

1851, May 23, E. D. Campbell, Voluntown, Conn., \$300; total loss.

1851, June 3, J. Daly, Boston, Mass., \$29 84; partial loss.

"11, P. H. Damon, Fitchburg, Mass., \$1,100;—
amount deducted on settlement, \$650. Insurance was
\$1,750. Deduction on account of over valuation of property. Proposal to submit claim to referees.

1851, May 22, W. W. Watts, Springfield, Mass., \$35; partial loss.

1851, June 28, J. Thompson, Brewer, Me., \$950; total loss.

1851, July 9, C. Atwood, North Chelsea, Mass., \$415 54; total loss.

1851, July 9, H. Field, W. Derby, Conn., \$100; amount deducted on settlement, \$200. Insurance, \$300. Deduction for over valuation of property.

1851, July 9, L. Bryant, Biddeford, Me., \$237; partial loss.

Award of referees.

1851, July 14, A. H. Williams, Waltham, Me., \$25; partial loss.

1851, Aug. 2, K. Lewis, Providence, R. I., \$5; partial loss. "15, Williams, Bird & Co., North Chelmsford,

Mass., \$388 54. Paid bill of repairs.

1851, Aug. 15, M. Crafts, Nashua, N. H. Insurance was \$1,800. Property transferred before the fire. Claim rejected because the person to whom the policy was transferred had not complied with the conditions on which the transfer was assented to.

1851, Aug. 25, S. G. Sylvester, Concord, N. H., \$200; to-

tal loss.

1851, Sept. 15, A. Whitaker, Boston, Mass., \$211 47; total loss.

1851, Sept. 15, W. S. Nute, Berwick, Me., \$1000. This claim is unsettled. The Directors have voted to allow \$350, that being the amount due insured, as per estimate to rebuild the building destroyed.

1851, Oct. 9, N. Angell, Smithfield, R. I., \$2000; total loss.

"14, J. Clark, Smithfield, R. I., \$1,494 44; total loss.

June 3, O. & J. Parker, Plympton, Mass., \$14; partial

oss.

1851, Dec. 1, F. Burt, Lyman, N. H., \$500; total loss.
" 22, J. C. White & Co., Milo, Me., \$1000. This claim has not been settled.

Total amount of losses in this class from Jan., 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, \$14,045 23

Total amount of losses for same time in New Hampshire, " " other States, \$1,815 50 12,229 73

The amount of the assessments ordered by the Directors for the payment of the above losses was \$17,774 24. This sum includes \$2,107 61, for expense of making assessments,

adjusting losses, interest on money borrowed, and probable losses by bad debts, and also the sum of \$1,615 84 for collecting assessments.

Rate per cent.—about two per cent.

RECAPITULATION.

The total amount of losses since the organization of the company to January 1, 1852, is as follows:—

In the	Farm Class,		\$5,047	67
	"		1,745	40
"	Village Class,		3,139	
66	Mercantile Class,	\$6,081 73		
66.	orsessments in the engin land	22,048 07		
		NAME OF THE OWNER, OWNE	28,129	80
44	"		1,433	
66	Manufacturers' Class,	\$6,030 45		
66	"	17,684 70		
. 66	66	14,045 23		
	The Manual Control of the	gie Harris Jak	37,760	38
		An Da Lalassi 5 Mai	MALIOPHIE	
	Total,		\$77,256	95
Dec. 2	2, 1851, J. H. Wright, (Cambridgeport,		
Mas	s., claim for losses, Mercant	ile Class, about	1,140	00
			\$78,396	95
	wol Branch is a last steph		ф. С,030	00

The amount of the above losses, since the organization of the company to Jan. 1, 1852, in New Hampshire is—

In the F	'arm Class,		\$1,092 00
" V	Tillage "	Allen allen allen allen	427 25
	Iercantile Class,	\$2,977 24	
46		6,843 04	
			9,820 28
u N	Ianufacturers' "	3,848 00	endly and
66	"	7,192 54	
66	"	1,815 50	
			12,856 04
To	tel	dis-	24,195 57
10	lai,	\$	1,130 01

Appendix.

The amount	of the	above	losses,	since	the	organization	of
the company to	Jan. 1	, 1852	, in otl	ner St	ates	is—	

the company to sail. 1, 1002, in t	other States is—
In the Farm Class,	\$5,701 07
" Village Class,	2,712 64
" Mercantile Class,	19,743 33
" Manufacturers' Class,	24,904 34
Manufacturers Class,	53,061 38
	35,001 50
Total,	\$77,256 95
Add J. H. Wright's claim, (unset	
Add 5. 11. Wright's Claim, (disci	1,140 00
	\$78,396 95
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Losses	
Farm class,	\$5,047 67
Mercantile class, 1st assessment,	\$6,081 73
" 2d "	22,048 07
	28,129 80
Manufacturers' class, 1st assessme	ent, 6,030 45
" 2d "	17.684 70
" " 3d "	14,045 23
girl, Canadagacadan Julia	37,760 38
	21,100 00
Total,	\$70,937 85
1000)	
Assessme	nts.
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1850, Nov. 1, " "	
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	" 7,733 35
	22,391 73
	" 17,774 24
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Total amount of assessments	\$89,896 93
Estimate of loss for bad debts,	
cent.,	\$6,292 78
10 per cent. for collecting,	8,989 69
por cont. for contouring,	15,282 47
	10,700
	\$74,614 46
	\$1,2,014.40

Total amount of losses for which assessments have been made,

70,937 85

Leaving, after the payment of the above losses,

the sum of \$3,676 61 to be appropriated to the payment of interest for money borrowed, the expense of making assessments, in which is included the salary of the Treasury, the expense of adjusting losses, postage, stationery and printing, from Oct. 1, 1848, to Jan. 1, 1852, being about 5 per cent. on the amount of losses.

The practice of this company, whenever an assessment is ordered, is to notify each individual assessed, and to state the amount of his assessment—at the same time to notify him that if the assessment is paid within a given time, (usually from 30 to 45 days from the date of the circular,) that he may deduct 10 per cent. from the amount of the assessment. This arrangement enables each person to save for his own benefit the 10 per cent. which would otherwise be paid to an Agent for collecting.

COLUMBIAN MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-PANY.

This company was organized July 24, 1847. The officers

of the company, January 1, 1852, were-

Henry S. Thatcher, President; Calvin Ainsworth, Treasurer; Arthur Fletcher, Secretary; Josiah Stevens, General Agent; Henry S. Thatcher, Josiah Stevens, Israel W. Kelley, Samuel Evans, Lyman D. Stevens, Directors.

The amount of property at risk, Jan. 1st, 1852, was-

In New Hampshire,		\$52,271 00
In other States,	0 848	268,072 00

Total, \$320,343 00

The amount of premium notes, Jan. 1st, 1852, was-

In New Hampshire,	\$4,214 87
In other States,	24,643 83

Total, \$28,858 70

ASSESSMENTS AND LOSSES.

Losses disallowed.	2,041 66 1,139 81 6,121 91 1,075 00 60 00 530 00 434 08	\$11,402 46
Losses unpaid.	626 40 275 00 1,276 25 2,869 06	\$5,046 71
Losses paid.	788 34 8,127 47 4,432 15 9,606 81 1,475 00 2,245 73	\$26,875 50
Amount of losses.	788 34 10,169 13 5,571 96 16,555 12 2,825 12 2,305 73 1,806 25 3,303 14	\$43,324 67
Assessments due.	73 67 1,907 76 471 37 5,765 23 334 31 1,362 99 1,001 39 5,483 24	\$16,399 96
Assessments collect- ed.	1,067 71 6,447 29 2,771 14 14,063 73 748 67 3,554 03 105 23 273 49	\$29,031 29
Amount assessed.	1,141 38 8,355 05 8,242 51 19,828 96 1,082 98 4,917 02 1,106 62 5,756 73	\$45,431 25
0.090a -eaw (9841 iei) 0.18 0.18	In N. Hamps., Nov. 14, 1848, other States, """ " N. Hamps., Nov. 16, 1849, other States, """ N. Hamps., Nov. 30, 1850, other States, """ N. Hamps., Nov. 12, 1851, other States, """ Other States, """	Total,

Rate per cent. assessed.

On premium notes in force Nov. 14, 1847, was assessed Nov. 14, 1848, Those 1040.	14.5 25.9
16, 1849, Those in force Nov. 16, 1849, were assessed Nov. 30, 1850,	11.4
Those in force Nov. 30, 1850, were assessed Nov. 12, 1851,	17.0
The particular control and the second control	68.8

The losses disallowed in New Hampshire are as follows, and for the reasons given:

1849, Jan. 25, Rust & Webster, loss \$1300, disallowed \$364 81—over insured.

1849, Sept. 7, W. E. & E. K. Griffin, loss \$775 00, dis-

allowed \$775 00-fraud-now in suit.

1850, Dec., Reuben Rollins, loss \$1000 00, disallowed \$1000 00—fraud—now in suit.

1850, Sept. 19, D. Shaw & Co., loss \$350 00, disallowed

\$75 00—over insured.

1851, March 29, G. K. & P. R. Brown, loss \$1000 00, dissallowed \$530 00—now in suit on the question as to the amount of loss.

The losses disallowed in other States are as follows, and the reasons given:

1848, March 9, Allen & Baker, R. I., loss \$1000, disallowed \$316 33.

1848, April 27, Thos. Burr, Mass., loss \$661, disallowed

\$220.

1848, May 20, A. H. Pierce, Mass., loss \$1000, disallowed \$350—fraud.

1848, June 13, N. Marshall, Me., loss \$400, disallowed

\$400—fraud—now in suit. 1848, Sept. 2, R. Randall, Me., loss \$1300, disallowed

\$455 33—over insured.
1848, Oct. 27, Waid & Spalding, Mass., loss \$300, disallowed \$300—fraud.

1848, Nov. 14, J. R. Brayton, Conn., loss \$2000, disallowed \$2000—fraud.

1849, Dec. 29, F. W. Cook, R. I., loss \$200, disallowed

\$200—fraud.

1849, March 8, Hill, Carpenter & Co., loss \$1000, disallowed \$71 91—over insured.

1849, April 10, J. W. Craft, Mass., loss \$2000, disallowed

\$2000—fraud.

1849, April 26, A. Welch, Me., loss \$2000, disallowed \$1850—fraud.

1850, Bowen & Dolloff, Mass., loss \$60, disallowed \$60

—fraud.

1851, Colcord & Bosher, Me., loss \$300, disallowed \$234 08—paid by loss of 1850.

The amount of cash premiums received since the organization of the company to Nov. 14, 1851:

From Nov. 14, 1847, to Nov. 14, 1848—		e.,
In New Hampshire,	\$257	40
In other States,	1490	
From Nov. 14, 1848, to Nov. 14, 1849	00.000	10
In New Hampshire,	84	80
In other States,	500	Will SE
From Nov. 14, 1849, to Nov. 14, 1850—	M. I Alai	00
In New Hampshire,	46	80
In other States,	130	
From Nov. 14, 1850, to Nov. 14, 1851—	100	40
In New Hampshire,	64	60
In other States,	527	
Lock papers to the state of the Atlanta	5,21	-
	\$3,102	44

Means and liabilities of the company, Jan. 1, 1852.

Amount of indebtedness for losses—	
In New Hampshire,	\$1,551 25
In other States,	3,495 46
Estimated amount of other liabilities for money	
borrowed, and other bills,	1,250 00

\$6,296 71

Available means as follows:

Cash on hand, Jan. 1, 1852, "in hands of Agents,	\$160 52 1,247 05
Due on assessments in New Hampshire, " " other States,	1,110 00 4,400 00
Deduct 10 per cent. for collecting assessment of	\$6,917 57
1851,	550 00
who necessity taking our for addistincted at all taken	\$6,367 57

The compensation paid Agents for adjusting losses has always been two dollars per day and travelling expenses.

For adjusting losses and other business of the company since its organization, the following named officers have received—

Josiah Stevens, Director and Agent,	\$371	80
Theodore French, Director,	368	
Isaac F. Williams, "	102	80
Arthur Fletcher, Secretary,	125	50
Henry S. Thatcher, Director,	436	98

The amount paid Agents for each application since the organization of the company has been 75 cents, \$1, and is now \$1 50 each.

The amount paid for collecting assessments has been for the years 1848, 1849 and 1850, five per cent.; for 1851, ten per cent.

There has never been any fixed salary for the officers of the company. When doing business for the company, by way of adjusting losses, or any other business away from home, they are allowed two dollars per day and expenses.

The Secretary, as appears by his cash account, has retained in his hands the sum of \$971 29, which is unsettled.

The Treasurer has received for his salary—

For the year	1848,	\$300 00	0
66 66	1849,	500 00	
1700 7000	1850,	300 00	
	λ1	000 0.	

For the year 1851,

300 00

\$1400 00

The business of the General Agent is to adjust losses, appoint local Agents, and other business.

Expended for books and stationery, " postage,

\$260 91 210 52

The valuation of property insured is fixed by the assured himself, and he is responsible for the correct valuation and description.

The company have paid the past year for the services and

advice of counsel, about \$100.

ATLANTIC MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. January 1, 1852.

This company was organized August 7, 1847. The offi-

cers of the company are as follows:

Moses Sanborn, President; Wm. P. Moulton, Secretary; John Tyrrell, Treasurer; Moses Sanborn, Charles Conner, Nath'l Gilman, S. W. Dearborn, Theophilus Goodwin, Geo. W. Kittredge, Joseph Towle, Joseph S. Pollard, Thomas B. Parks, David French, John S. Wells, Directors.

Class First.

Amount of property at risk in the State is \$675,933 25 out of the State is 1,718,391 00

Total amount at risk in Class 1st, to Jan. 1, \$2,394,324 25

Amount of premium notes in the State is \$31,560 17 out of the State is 78,851 30

Total amount of premium notes in Class 1st, to
Jan. 1, 1852, \$110,411 47

The amount of losses each year in the State is a	as follows:
For the year ending July, 1849, " " 1850, " " 1851,	\$1,715 00 215 00 266 25
Total amount of losses in the State is	\$2,196 25
The amount of losses each year out of the follows:	State is as
For the year ending July, 1849, " " 1850, " " 1851,	\$21 64 1,277 50 1,036 48
Total amount of losses out of the State,	\$2,335 62
Whole amount assessed on premium notes of Class 1st, from organization of company, in the State is	\$1,459 04
Whole amount assessed on premium notes of Class 1st, from the organization of company, out of the State is	2,780 33
Total amount assessed in said First Class is	\$4,239 37
Whole amount collected on assessments in said First Class, Jan. 1, 1852,	3,496 91
And the whole amount now due on assessments in said First Class is	\$742 46
Total amount paid for losses at the close of the last fiscal year in said First Class is	\$3,990 64
The amount of cash premiums received in Class, for each year is as follows:	said First
For the year ending July, 1848, " " 1849, " " 1850, " " 1851,	\$551 23 1,771 01 1,613 06 1,370 25
Total amount of cash premiums,	\$5,305 55

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The rates of the assessments in the First Class were as follows:

Highest rate, $10\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Lowest nearly. " 33 Average

Class Second.

The state of the second second second by the	
Amount of property at risk in the State to Jan-	\$772,658 00
uary 1, 1852, is Amount of property at risk out of the State, to	any odkazalla
January 1, 1852, is	,426,307 25
1036 48	100.005.05
Total amount insured, Jan. 1, 1852, \$3	,198,965 25
Amount of premium notes in the State, Jan. 1,	
1852. is	\$49,919 10
Amount of premium notes out of the State, Jan.	145,961 25
1, 1852, is	
non the organization of company	\$195,880 35
The amount of losses each year in the State is	as follows:
	\$737 00
For the year ending July, 1849, "1850,	389 83
" " 1850,	235 00
to age S. Stat F. ant a	
Total,	\$1,361 83
The amount of losses each year out of the St	ate is as fol-
lows:	
For the year ending July, 1849,	\$1,449 50
1850,	1,494 00
" 1851,	3,259 38
Berlin Dink He Heviddor and half an ar 1899 de	\$6,202 88
Total,	The state of the s
Whole amount assessed on premium notes, from	\$1,619 86
organization of company, in the State, is	
Whole amount assessed on premium notes out of the State, from organization of company, is	5,275 84
	The second second second second
of cash promiums, \$5.305 ar	\$6,895 70

Whole amount collected on assessments to January 1, 1852, is	5,781 49
Whole amount due on assessments, January 1, 1852, is	\$1,114 21
Total amount paid for losses, from organization of company to the close of the fiscal year, July, 1851, is	\$6,727 86
Total amount of cash premiums received each yes	ear, in the
	\$1,006 35 2,431 31 2,817 92 2,374 55
ns assessed on premium notes, in the State, prior 1852; are as follows:	\$8,630 13
The rates of assessments are as follows: Highest rate, $6\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. Lowest " $\frac{1}{2}$ " Average " $3\frac{1}{16}$ "	1850 asse 1851 Tota
Whole amount of indebtedness, as estimated by Secretary and Treasurer, is	32,312 69
Class Third.	1850 name
Amount of property at risk out of the State,	25,980 00 7,647 00
Total at risk, \$1,19	3,627 00
Amount of premium notes out of the State, Jan-	9,772 80
Total amount of premium notes, \$119	2,359 49

Appendix.

The	amount	of	losses	each	year,	in	the	State,	is	as	fol-
lows:				,				1853			

For the year endir	" 1849,	\$135 00 242 16
ti " " in the mottes."	" 1850, " 1851,	6,168 67 1,342 99
Total,	the close of the fiscal	\$7,888 82

Amount of losses each year, out of the State, is as follows:

For the year ending	July,	1849,	. sawel	\$2,623 92
ae "00 to "		1850,		12,437 47
18 "81.8" "	46	1851,		16,847 93
Total,		1850.		\$31,909 32

The sums assessed on premium notes, in the State, prior to Jan. 1, 1852, are as follows:

1850 assessment, 1851 "	assessments are as follows:	\$2,254 81 4,844 60
Total.		\$7,099 41

The sums assessed on premium notes, out of the State, prior to Jan. 1, 1852, are as follows:

1850 assessment,	Class Third.	\$6,466 35
1851 "		16,106 39

Total, \$22,572 74

Amount of indebtedness, estimated by Auditors,
July last, was \$6,780 41

Total amount collected on assessments, from organization of company to July 1, 1851, is \$23,177 59

Total amount due on assessments, Jan. 1, 1852, as estimated by the Secretary and Treasurer, \$4,000 00

Total amount paid for losses at the close of the fiscal year ending July 1, 1851, is \$32,302 16

Total amount of cash premiums received the State, is as follows:	each year, in
For the year ending July, 1848,	\$1,368 72
" " 1849, " " 1850,	2,813 14 2,843 11
" 1851,	1,577 13
Total,	\$8,602 10
The rates of assessment are as follows: Highest rate, 14 per cent.	d betemuted b
Lowest " $\frac{3}{4}$ " Average " $6\frac{7}{10}$ "	Tetal amount 1851, is
Class Fourth.	
Amount of property at risk in the State, Jan. 1	ineg an old
1852, is	\$78,200 25
Amount of property at risk out of the State Jan. 1, 1852, is	260,139 75
Total amount at risk is	\$338,340 00
Amount of premium notes in the State, Jan. 1 1852, is	\$15,141 05
Amount of premium notes out of the State, Jan 1, 1852, is	42,899 60
Total amount of notes,	\$58,040 65
The amount of losses each year in the State	is as follows:
For the year ending July, 1849,	\$4,977 50
" " 1850, " " 1851	3,202 50
" " 1851,	439 00
Total, too an atotopic adout Bayous moone	\$8,619 00
Amount of losses each year out of the State is	is as follows:
For the year ending July, 1849,	\$4,289 75
" 1850, " " 1851,	14,219 48
1001,	10,357 99
Total,	\$28,867 22

Whole amount assessed on premium notes from organization of company to Jan. 1, 1852, in the State, is \$8,461 24

Whole amount assessed on premium notes out of the State, to Jan. 1, 1852, is

23,232 23

\$31,693 47 Total,

Whole amount of indebtedness to July last, as estimated by auditors, is \$5,154 51

Total amount collected on assessments to July, \$22,483 22 1851, is

Amount due on assessments, considered available, as estimated by Secretary and Treasurer, \$4,000 00

Total amount paid for losses from organization of company to July, 1851, \$31,932 72

The amount of cash premiums received each year is as follows:

For the year ending July, 1848, \$1,347 54 1849, 3,210 93 1850, 3,042 94 66 66 1,849 15 03 408 SE 1851,

\$9,450 56 Total,

The rate per cent. assessed is as follows:

Highest rate, $14\frac{1}{2}$ per cent. Lowest " 1 Average " $6\frac{2}{3}$

The rate per cent. allowed by the Directors for collecting assessments is 5 per cent., and it is very seldom that a larger per cent. than that is allowed.

The sums allowed for investigating and adjusting losses, from the organization of the company to July, 1851, in the

several classes, is as follows:

In the first class,

\$73 90

In the second class,	104 67
"third "	628 43
" fourth "	402 26 month back
	Whiche organi antos of the co
Total	\$1200.26

Total, \$1209 26

The amount allowed per day to Directors and Agents for services in adjusting losses, is two dollars and expenses.

The sums paid to Agents for each application taken for the company, that may be approved by the Directors, is as follows:

In the first class, 75 cents.

" second " 75 "

" third " 75 "
" fourth " \$1 00.

The salaries paid to the officers and agents of the compa-

ny are as follows:

The President receives one hundred dollars per year for his services as President and Director.

The Directors, other than the President, receive the sum of one dollar for each meeting of the company that they may attend; and the meetings are held regularly once a week. In addition to the above, those Directors not residents in Exeter are allowed their travelling expenses for attending quarterly meetings.

The Secretary and Treasurer receive each the sum of \$800 for their services in this and the Rockingham Company.

No other emoluments are allowed to the officers of the company than as above stated.

The amount of expenses for books, stationery, printing, and postage bills for the fiscal year ending July, 1851, was

\$718 51

A Clerk is in the employ of the Rockingham and Atlantic Insurance Companies at a salary of \$300 per year; all other expenses for Clerk hire are small.

Total amount of receipts during the fiscal year ending July, 1851, \$86,735 57

Total amount expended during the fiscal year ending July, 1851, \$6,010 60

Amount paid for services and advice of counsel for the fiscal year ending July 1, 1851, is 269 59 And the total amount paid for such services since the organization of the company to the close of the last fiscal year, is 358 09

The amount of the Treasurer's bond is \$6000.

BELKNAP COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

This company was incorporated January 3d, 1837, by the name of the Strafford County Mutual Fire Insurance Company. It was organized July 18, 1838, and issued its first policy Sept. 3, 1838. By an act of the Legislature, approved June 22, 1847, the name of the company was altered to that of the Belknap County Mutual Fire Insurance Company. By a subsequent act of the Legislature the company was authorized to divide all property insured into two classes, and each class to be liable for its own losses. Said classes are called the General and Farmers' class.

The officers of the company are-John T. Coffin, President; Jeremiah Elkins, Secretary; John C. Moulton, Treasurer; John T. Coffin, Thomas Eastman, Timothy D. Somes. John C. Moulton, Benj. T. Sanborn, Hiram French, Daniel Davis, Joseph P. Atkinson, Bartlett Hill, Charles W. Parker, Richard Gove, Benjamin J. Cole, George Gammon, Dana Woodman, Jeremiah Leavitt, Jeremiah Lamprey, Jas. Hobbs.

Jr., Benjamin M. Sanborn, Directors.

The whole amount insured in the General Class. in the State, from Oct. 1, 1849, to Oct. 1, 1851, is \$115,892 00 In the Farmers' class, for same time, 277,308 00

Total in the State,

\$393,200 00

The whole amount insured in the General class, out of the State, for the same time.

\$67,106 00

In the Farmers' class, for same time, 59,308 00	
Total out of the State, discontinuous \$	126,414 00
The amount of premium notes in the General class, in the State, from Oct. 1, 1849, to Oct. 1, 1851, \$20,537 26 In the Farmers' class, for same time, 10,996 13	Amount of the frame
Total in the State,	\$31,533 39
The amount of premium notes out of the State, in the General class, from Oct., 1849, to Oct. 1, 1851, \$7,277 97 In the Farmers' class, for same time, 2,247 42	The dinon- The dinon- In the P
Total out of the State,	\$9,525 39
In the General class, the amount of losses in the State from May 3, 1850, to Nov. 4, 1851, being the time covered by the last assess- ment, is The amount of losses out of the State, for the same time, is	\$855 00 679 28
In the Farmers' class, the amount of losses in the State from Jan. 14, 1850, the time the last assessment in this class was made, to Jan. 14, 1852, two years, is The amount of losses out of the State during the same time,	\$971 67 200 00
The sums assessed on premium notes in the General class, in the State, from May 3, 1850, to Nov. 4, 1851, For the same time, in the Farmers' class, nothing was assessed.	\$1796 15
The sums assessed on premium notes in the General class, out of the State, for same time, For same time, in the Farmers' class, out of the State, nothing was assessed.	\$510 46

The amount of indebtedness in the General	Course Form
class, on the 1st of October, 1851, in the State,	\$3,398 61
The amount of indebtedness in the Farmers'	o mo letoT
class, same date,	800 00

Amount of indebtedness in the General class,	eD edi
out of the State, was represented as the state of the State, and the state of the s	\$554 25
In the Farmers' class, out of the State, nothing.	fu the Fa

The amount of assessment in the General class,	
May 3, 1850, which covered losses previous to	
Oct. 1, 1849,	\$6,173 71
The amount collected up to Oct. 1, 1851, was	4,413 69

In the Farmers' class there has never been but one assessment made, and that was to cover losses previous to Oct. 1, 1849; and all losses and other debts in that class for which said assessment was made, have been paid.

The amount due on assessment in and out of the State, Oct. 1, 1851, \$1760 02

The rate per cent. assessed.

In the General class, 4 per cent. per annum on the premium notes for the assessment covering losses for 18 months next preceding the 4th of November, 1851. In the Farmers' class, 2 per cent. per annum on the premium notes would cover all losses since the assessment of January 4, 1850, since which time no assessment has been made.

The expense of adjusting losses for the two years next preceding Oct. 1, 1851, in both classes, \$36 40

The officers or Agents are paid \$1 50 per day, and necessary travelling expenses.

The rate per cent. allowed for collecting from Oct. 1, 1849, to Oct. 1, 1851, has averaged about 5 per cent. The amount paid for collecting during said time is \$187 40.

The sum paid Agents for each application taken is one dollar; fifty cents of which is for the application, and fifty cents for the policy—both paid by the applicant to the Agent.

The salaries and all other emoluments of the President, Secretary, Treasurer, and Directors are as follows:—

The President is paid two cents for signing each policy. The Secretary has fifty cents for each policy made and recorded by him, and received for the year preceding Oct. 1, 1851, \$221 50 for making and recording 445 policies. All his other emoluments, including the making one assessment in the General Class, did not exceed \$30.

The Treasurer receives a salary of \$200 per year.

Each Director receives 5 cents for each policy approved by him. Directors residing at Meredith Bridge are not paid anything for attending meetings of the Board. Those residing a distance of five miles or more, are allowed about \$1 per day for attending meetings of the Board, and a small compensation for travel.

Statement of the present Means and Liabilities of the Company.

The whole amount of premium notes on policies	s existing—
In the General Class, Oct. 1, 1851, "Farmers' "	\$34,407 57 32,699 91
saide in tennas in Chraftine concurs. 13 m Solli-	\$67,107 48
In the General Class the liabilities to Oct. 1, 1851, are,	\$3,922 39
Its means are, balance of former assessments uncollected, to Oct. 1, 1851, \$3,150 22	
Assessment voted Nov. 4, 1851, to pay losses to Oct. 1, 1851, 2,306 77	Maliana Re
Casti off fland,	
\$5,567 04 Nominal surplus,	\$1,644 63
In the Farmers' Class the liabilities to Oct. 1, 1851, are,	\$822 20
Its means are a balance of uncollected assessments of Jan'y 14, 1850,	252 55
Nominal balance against Farmers' Class to Oct. 1. 1851.	\$569 71

No assessment has been made in the Farmers' Class to

meet losses since January 14, 1850.

Amount of expenses for books, stationery, printing, and postage bills, from Oct. 1, 1850, to Oct. 1, 1851, \$66,24.

CHESHIRE COUNTY MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—December 10, 1851.

This company was incorporated by act of July 2, 1825, for an unlimited time, and was organized the same year.—
The first policy was issued March 10, 1826.

Larkin Baker is the President; Leonard Bisco, Secretary;

Frederick Vose, Treasurer.

There are nine Directors, viz: Larkin Baker, Phinehas Henderson, Ebenezer Morse, Albro Blodgett, Alvah Smith, Daniel W. Farrar, Lauson Robertson, Ashbel Hamlin, and Reuel Nims.

The policies are issued by local resident Agents, appointed by the President and Secretary, and are 38 in number, of whom 22 reside in towns in Cheshire county, 13 in Sullivan, and 3 in Hillsborough. They are Larkin Baker, Phinehas Henderson, Ebenezer Morse, Joseph Kingsbury, Cyrus Piper, Daniel W. Farrar, John Conant, Asahel H. Bennett, Amos Bennett, Jonathan Brown, Bethuel Farley, Reuel Nims, Otis Amidon, George W. Hammond, Samuel Locke, Dexter Whittemore, James Batcheller, Jonathan Robinson, William Read, Thomas Ingalls, Josiah Fleeman, John M. Whiton, jr, in Cheshire; Albro Blodgett, Amos Perkins, Eleazer Jackson, Alvah Smith, Royal Shumway, Oliver Boothe, Amasa Edes, Nathaniel Warner, Martin Chase, Isaac F. Wetherbe, Israel Hall, Araunah Burnap, John Gates, in Sullivan; and Thomas Wilson, Clark C. Boutwell, and Samuel Adams, in Hillsborough.

The above are all the persons employed by the company. The Agents fix the value to be insured on the property.—The Treasurer has given bonds in the sum of \$10,000. Neither the President nor Directors have any salary. The salary of the Secretary is \$65; that of the Treasurer \$35 a

year. The President and Directors receive each two dollars a day for their attendance at, and ten cents a mile travel to, the meetings of the Directors, of which there have been usually but one in each year, on the day of the annual meeting. Except such of them as are local agents of the company, they receive no other emolument. Since Oct. 8, 1849, there have been but two meetings of the Directors, and those were held on the days of the annual meetings.

For the year ending Aug. 31, 1851, the whole amount of salary and emolument received by the Treasurer was \$39 25; by the Secretary, \$103 60. The whole amount paid all the Directors, (except for services as local agents,) was

for that year \$41 60.

The Agents receive no salary. They are paid for their services for making insurances a commission of two per cent. on the amount of cash premiums and premium notes, and receive from the insured fifty cents for each policy, and twenty-five cents for each addition to the amount originally insured by any policy. Their commissions for the year ending Aug. 31, 1851, amounted in all for those services to \$381 69, and the amount they received for policies and additions for the same time to \$312 25. The Agents also receive compensation for their services in adjusting losses, which is allowed them by the Directors. The whole amount of such compensation for the year ending Aug. 31, 1851, was, including the services of referees, \$50 49. There is nothing allowed for applications for insurance; the amount paid for the policy is the only charge.

The assessments have been collected by the local Agents, for which they have received a commission of five per cent. on the amount collected. The amount paid for such services in the year ending Aug. 31, 1851, was \$92 39. For express and postages, \$8 92. For printing and all other expenses, \$29 87. The above expenses amount to \$747 81. The whole expense account for the previous year amounted to

\$861 69.

The following is a list of the losses which happened between Sept. 2, 1850, and Sept. 1, 1851, of which all except the four first named, happened within the State:—

Samuel E. Robbins,	\$700 00
Matthias B. Felton,	136 30
Wm. Pollard,	40 00

Nathan H. Hand,	2,000	00
Henry A. Murdock,	14	
of the Directors of vehicles and selection	102	72
Buffum & Lyman,	50	
Philander Wallingford,	1,000	
Thomas Ball,	300	
Lucien B. Page,	20	
G. B. & H. C. Redington,	425	00
Ashbel Wheeler,	13	55
Oliver Hastings,	8	00
Dist. No. 4, Fitzwilliam,	10	
D. L. Stoddard,	5	
L. W. Holbrook,	303	
Phyla Dean's executors,	250	
Amos Willard,	2	00
Henry L. Hunt,	1	43
David Buffum,	8	
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\$5,387 81

No deductions have been made from any losses except in one or two instances the interest was deducted, when the losses were paid before due.

The amount of cash premiums collected by the Agents, between Sept. 2, 1850, and Sept. 1, 1851, appears by the books to be, (after deducting their commission of two per cent.,) \$2,862 52.

The amount paid for losses between Sept. 2, 1850, and

Sept. 1, 1851, was \$5,213 84.

Since the organization of the company but two assessments have been made. The first was in 1846, of five per cent. on all premium notes which were in force between April 1, 1842, and Sept. 1, 1845, and amounted to \$5,190 80. The other was in 1849, for the payment of losses of the following dates and amounts:

1845, Nov. 3,	\$78 75	1848, April 12,	\$100 00
1846, Feb. 1,	295 50	" July 9,	400 00
" " 9,	450 00	" " 30,	164 50
" July 11,	200 00	" Aug, 23,	220 45
" Nov. 13,	100 00	" Nov. 25,	338.70
1847, June 11,	300 00	1849, Jan. 25,	477 64
" 16,	75 00	" Sept. 15,	1,683 66
" Dec. 20,	600 00	For expense of col.	1,500 00

and was apportioned upon the premium notes in force at the dates of the respective losses—the assessment varying in its rate from one mill to $7\frac{9}{10}$ cents on the dollar of the amount of those notes. This assessment amounted to \$7,030 65.

There has been paid on both these assessments, \$11,160 72, and the balance remains unpaid. For making and disbursing the two assessments, the Treasurer was paid, for the

first, \$125, for the other, \$162 50.

The amount of property at risk, Sept. 1, 1851, was \$2,-916,393; and the amount of premium notes at that time

held by the company was \$90,792 77.

There is a balance due on Agents' accounts of \$313 67, most of which has been of long standing, and is regarded as uncollectable. There is also due on a note of Bellows & Peck, dated Sept. 4, 1841, \$1,382 53, which is considered uncollectable.

All the losses which have come to the knowledge of the Secretary and Treasurer have been paid, and all the existing liabilities of the company, except the small amounts standing to the credit of Agents, and the current expenses since Sept. 1, 1851, are included in the item of notes payable in the statement below.

The following is a statement of the present means and liabilities of the company, other than premium notes:

Means.

Notes receivable,	\$324 55
Estimated amount of cash premiums in Agents'	an and an
hands,	795 14
Unpaid assessments estimated as collectable,	200 00
Cash in the Treasurer's hands,	548 46
Balance of indebtedness,	194 17
	/
	\$2,062 32

Liabilities.

Notes payable, \$2,062 32

HILLSBOROUGH MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

This company went into operation in the latter part of the year 1833, the first policy having been issued Dec. 11, and being, as is believed, the second Mutual Fire Insurance Company chartered in the State. Its business was at first large, but as many other companies have since gone into operation, the business of this office has been curtailed, and is now chiefly confined to Hillsborough county.

The officers of the company are—Francis P. Fitch, President; Andrew Wallace, Secretary and Treasurer; Francis P. Fitch, Andrew Wallace, A. W. Sawyer, William Wallace, John Bruce, Directors.

The amount of property at risk, March 1, 1852, in the State, was \$678,162 00 The amount of property at risk, March 1, 1852, out of the State, was 14,400 00

The amount of premium notes at the same date, in the State, \$53,832 84

The amount of premium notes at the same date, out of the State, 1,212 00

The annual losses, all within the State, have been as follows:—

	In	the	year	1834,	\$100	00
	1324		"	1835,	300	00
		66	266	1836,	2,345	00
I	795	66	66	1837,	2,022	00
		66	66	1838,	4,273	78
46		"	"	1839,	425	00
T	194	66	"	1840,	6,100	00
		16	"	1841,	100	00
		"	66	1842,	4,085	00
		66	66	1843,	1,325	00
		"	66	1844,	3,962	00
		"	"	1845,	1,524	00
			66	1846,	1,450	75
		66	66	1847,	265	
		66	"	1848,	6.002	83
		66	66	1849,	2,250	90
				,		

In the year 1850, 328 41 " " 1851, 1,564 00

The whole amount of the above losses has been taxed upon the premium notes, in ten assessments, the last of which was published on the 8th of March last.

On the 1st ass'nt of \$2,354 19 there remains unpaid \$4 "2d "1,566 68 "" "12	68
" 3d " 2,817 20 " " 73	93
" 4th " 5,341 06 " " 162	
" 5th " 4,541 12 " " 135	
" 6th " 5,180 62 " " 108	
" 7th " 3,079 80 " " 171	
" 8th " 4,089 85 " " 327	
" 9th " 6,085 41 " " 972	82
and the 10th, recently declared, \$3,400 40, is now bei	ng

The company owe, as stated in the Treasurer's report, on the first of March last, \$4,887 33, all within the State-to meet which they have the last assessment, \$3,400 40, and the uncollected balance of previous assessments, a large proportion of two or three of the latter of which is considered

All losses in this company have been paid at, except in a few instances shortly after, the time they became due.

The amount of cash premiums received from the commencement of the company's operations to the 1st Monday in March, each year, is as follows:

	1834,	\$545	39	"	1844,	483 45
	1835,	954	74	"	1845,	463 28
	1836,	735	66		1846,	468 71
	1837,	702	40	66	1847,	406 45
	1838,	530	11		1848,	426 43
	1839,	567	70	"	1849,	535 70
	1840,	611			1850,	373 87
	1841,	549			1851,	258 82
	1842,	416	2 3234	01060	1852,	208 04
12111	1843,	436	35			well daggat pro

The rate per cent. assessed has averaged, since the commencement of the company's operations, 28 per cent. per annum upon the deposit notes.

Losses having been for the most part within the county of Hillsborough, have been adjusted without much expense. Committees have charged from one to two dollars per day, and their expenses.

Agents receive fifty cents for each approved application,

paid by the insured.

The expense of collecting assessments is, for the first fifty dollars, two and one half per cent.; for the second fifty, two per cent.; for sums above one hundred and under three hundred dollars, one per cent.; for sums above three hundred

dollars, half of one per cent.

The President is paid fifty dollars per annum, for his services as President and Director. The offices of Secretary and Treasurer are united in one person, who is also Director, and for services in these several capacities he is paid \$275 per year, when an assessment is made, and \$225, when there is none. The other three Directors reside in other towns, and charged the past year, for the three, \$110.

A General Agent has lately been appointed to receive applications only, to be paid as are the local Agents, fifty cents

for each application.

The average annual expenses for the last four years, for books, printing, stationery, advertising and postage bills, have been \$35.78.

The company have paid no fees for services or advice of

counsel the last year, nor any expense for referees.

The value of property to be insured is determined in most instances, by statements made by applicants to the Agents.

PEOPLE'S MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

This company was organized August 18, 1850. The officers are—Cyrus Barton, President; Joseph Robinson, Treasurer; Eleazer Jackson, Secretary; Cyrus Barton, David Davis, Joseph French, Stephen C. Badger, Joseph Robinson, Horace Chase, John S. Kimball, Directors.

Amount of property at risk in the State, \$84,593 00 out of the State, 217,891 00

Amount of premium notes in the State, " " out of the State,	\$5,211 19 14,889 61
Amount of losses in the State, nothing. " out of the State,	\$361 80
No assessment has been made.	
Amount of indebtedness in the State, including salaries, Agents' fees, &c., Amount of indebtedness out of the State,	\$909 19 82 35
Amount paid on losses in the State—nothing.	\$259 05
Amount of cash premium in the State, " " out of the State,	\$279 04 862 57

Expense of adjusting losses, \$2.

Agents are allowed 50 cts to \$1 for each application taken by the company.

No fixed salary has been allowed any officer.

The former President, Joseph French, for his services in organizing the company, as President, and for services and travelling expenses in appointing Agents in Maine, Massachusetts and Vermont, from Aug. 18, 1850, to Sept. 20, 1851, has been allowed \$135 80.

Paid A. C. Blodgett, former Secretary, for his services in full, from Aug. 15, 1850, to Oct. 24, 1851, inclusive, \$300.

The President is allowed ten cents, and the Secretary fifty cents for each policy by them signed and issued, each in full of all services rendered the company by them respectively.

The former Treasurer, John Whipple, was allowed for 1

year's service as such, \$5.

The present Treasurer has no fixed compensation.

The Directors, two to an application, are allowed each ten cents for each application by them approved and signed.—This, with one dollar for each attendance at Directors' or company meetings, constitutes their pay in full.

Means of the company-

Cash, \$46 04 Due from Agents, \$232 12

Premium notes, 20,180 80
\$20,458 96
Liabilities, \$991 04
Amount expended for books, stationery, printing
and postage, \$198.81
Total amount of receipts, \$469 88
Total amount of expenses, including salaries, Agents' fees, &c., \$1,395 62
The value of property to be insured is fixed by the appli-
cant. Nothing has been paid for services or advice of counsel, or for expense of reference.
Expense of adjusting Joses, \$2. Agents are allowed 50 ets to 50 for each application taken.
GRANITE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.
This company was organized in April, 1840. Its officers are—S. B. Little, President; Ebenezer Price, Secretary and Treasurer; S. B. Little, Hezekiah Fellows, Moses Fellows, Enoch Couch, Thomas Elliot, Cyrus Adams, J. T. Breck, Directors.
The amount of property at risk, March 15, \$1,176,589 00
The amount of premium notes, March 15, 1852, was 67,388 26
The amount of losses in 1841 was \$1.50 " " 1845 " 10.00 " " 1846 " 509.00 " " 1847 " 423.00 " " 1849 " 150.00
" 1850 " 451 00 " 1851 " 385 00

The sum assessed on premium notes, May 6, 1850, was

Total amount of losses in 12 years, \$1,930 35

\$750 00

Amount due on assessments, about

100 00

The amount of indebtedness, March 15, 1852, was

\$537 00

The amount of cash premiums received each year was as follows: 1st year, \$331 00; second year, \$91 00; third year, \$46 00; fourth year, \$75 00; fifth year, \$117 00; sixth year, \$171 00; seventh year, \$441 00; eighth year, \$264 00; ninth year, \$183 00; tenth year, \$225 00; eleventh year, \$160 00; twelfth year, \$346 00.

The rate per cent. assessed, about 3 per cent. and another

Agents are paid 50 cents for each application, and 2½ per cent. for collecting assessments.

The board of Directors, including the President, have received from \$2 00 to \$4 00 per annum for their services.

The Secretary receives from \$20 to \$60 for office accommodations and extra services, in addition to 50 cents for writing and recording each policy, and a small compensation for recording transfers, additions, &c.

The Treasurer receives for money collected by him, and paid over, 5 per cent., and for all other money passing

through his hands, 2½ per cent.

The amount paid for books, stationery, printing and postage,

\$180 25

The total amount of receipts the past year was expenses " "

\$693 91 717 95

The value of the property insured is fixed by the board of Directors.

URI LAMPREY, Fire Ins. Commissioner. June 5, 1852.

REPORT OF WARREN L. LANE.

To His Excellency the Governor and the Honorable Legislature of the State of New Hampshire:

The undersigned, Insurance Commissioner, respectfully submits the following

REPORT:

Agreeably to the provisions of the 1111th chapter of the statute laws of the State of New Hampshire, I have made personally a full examination into the condition and management of the several mutual fire insurance companies hereinafter mentioned, as specified therein.

ROCKINGHAM FARMERS' MUTUAL, Exeter.

Organized for business in 1833.

Condition and management of the company from Octeobr 31, 1845, to November 1, 1851.

From Oct. 31, 1845, to Oct. 31, 1846.

Amount o	f property insured,	\$2,435,312 00
66	premium notes,	116,194 27
"	cash premiums,	737 99
	losses,	2,597 24
No acco	sement made this year	

Cash Receipts.

\$4 038 66
3,137 13
163 54
\$737 99

Cash Payments.

Cash I agments.	
Paid on losses, "five Directors, "Secretary and Treasurer, "Agents, "for books, blanks, stationery, postage a printing,	58 93
" for all other incidentals, " borrowed money, Cash in the Treasury, Oct. 31, 1846,	24 90 606 00 167 33
	\$4,038 66
Indebtedness not far from \$2500.	
From October 31, 1846, to October 3	1. 1847.
Amount of property insured, " premium notes, cash premiums, losses,	\$2,583,817 00 124,438 72 1,049 10 832 94
Date of assessment, June 9, 1846. Rate assessed, average 2 per cent.	
Amount of the assessment, Collected on '' Due on assessments and cash premiums,	\$3,635 42 2,785 80 1,094 20
Cash Receipts.	
Cash in the treasury, Oct. 31, 1846, Received cash premiums, on assessments, Borrowed money,	\$167 33 1049 10 2,785 80 910 98
Cash Payments.	\$4,913 21
Paid on losses, " five Directors,	\$821 69 97 60

Paid Secretary and Treasurer, "Agents, "for books, blanks, stationery, printing a postage bills, "for office rent, fuel and other incidentals, "borrowed money, Cash in treasury, Oct. 31, 1847,	93 21
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Liabilities.	
For borrowed money and some small outstan ing bills,	d- \$1,141 01
Means of Payment.	T ZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZZ
Due on assessments and cash premiums fro	marata
Agents,	1,094 20
Balance of debt,	
From October 31, 1847, to Oct. 31, 1	
Amount of property insured, " premium notes, " cash premiums, " losses,	130,857 85 779 75 586 00
to assessment this year.	
Amount collected on old assessments, due on old assessments and cash premipaid on losses, paid on losses, of company expenses,	\$774 08 iums, 395 58 590 50 1,020 85
Cash Receipts.	
Cash in the treasury, Oct. 31, 1847, Received on premiums,	\$63 82 779 75 774 08 783 71
	\$2,401 36

Cash Payments. Homes as no barisos fi

Paid losses,	\$590 50
" borrowed money,	751 57
" five Directors,	113 25
" Secretary and Treasurer,	320 44
" Agents,	34 88
" for books, blanks, stationery, printing and	Paid on loss
postage.	133 10
" office rent, fuel, lights, and other incidental	are Secreta
expenses,	419 18
Cash in the treasury, Oct. 31, 1848,	
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Indebtedness,	
Means of Payment.	Ollow He History
Means of Payment.	
Cash in the treasury, \$38 44	
Due on assessments, 395 58	
2.7001111083.	\$434 02
be sold and losses. The A O A Chi as \$2,402.86	Ψ
Balance of debt,	\$563 98
From October 31, 1848, to October 31, 1	849.
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Amount of property insured, \$2	,860,870 00
premium notes,	138,357 62
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Received on assessments, Borrowed money,	94 1,637 43	_
ed money,	\$2,451 05	;
Cash Payments.		
" five Directors, " Secretary and Treasurer, managed dans are " Agents.	\$1,318 57 130 42 349 84 14	
for books, blanks, stationery, printing and postage, rent, fuel and other incidentals, borrowed money, Cash in the treasury, Oct. 31, 1849,	77 10 41 32 508 15 25 51	
o into Migans of Payment.	\$2,451 05	
Liabilities.	Jash in the	
\$134.08		
Money borrowed and losses,	\$2,402 86	
Means of Payment.		
Cash in the treasury, \$25 51 Due on assessments and cash premiums, 205 15	\$230 66	
Balance of debt,	\$2,172 20	
From October 31, 1849, to October 31, 18	350.	
	055,695 00 148,132 43 762 47	
Average rate assessed, $2\frac{1}{8}$ per cent. Amount of the assessment,	\$5,465 92	
	5,558 37	

Appendix.	527	
Indebtedness of the company, Amount of company expenses,	4,356 55 578 69	
Cash Receipts.		
Cash in the treasury, Oct. 31, 1849, Received on cash premiums, borrowed money,	\$25 51 715 20 1,150 00	
	\$1,890 71	
Cash Payments.	dongh E	
Paid on losses, "five Directors, "Secretary and Treasurer, "books, blanks, stationery, printing and posta "rent, fuel, lights, and other incidentals, "notes and interest,	\$835 54 142 66 349 84 45 88 40 31 481 03	
Balance due the Treasurer, \$4 55.	\$1,895 26	
Liabilities.		
For losses and borrowed money,	\$4,356 55	
Means of Payment.		
Due the company on assessments and premiums,	\$5,558 37	
Balance in favor of the company,	\$1,201 82	
Condition and management of the Company, from Oct. 31, 1850, to Oct. 31, 1851.		
Officers of the Company—John Sullivan, President; John		

Officers of the Company—John Sullivan, President; John Sullivan, John Perkins, Jeremiah Bachelder, Nehemiah P. Cram, James M. Sanborn, Directors; Nathaniel Gordon, Secretary and Treasurer.

Amount of property insured— In New Hampshire, Out of New Hampshire,	\$3,041,825 50 277,231 00
20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 20 2	\$3,319,056 50

Amount of premium notes—	
In the State, Out of the State,	\$147,915 87 13,168 42
Cash Receipts ac man at	
16 500 Vinesenty Oct 31 1849	\$161,084 29
Amount of cash premiums—	Received
In the State, Out of the State,	\$1,022 14 98 77
Trans 12	30 11
Cash Payments	\$1,120 91
Amount of losses in the State,	\$2,538 82
out of the State,	220 08
	\$2,758 90
No assessments this year.	ф ъ , 00 00
Amount collected on old assessments,	\$5,079 22
" paid on losses,	3,953 52
due on the assessments and cash prem	iums, 822 30
" of indebtedness, of company expenses,	2,590 31 1,130 84
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Cash Receipts.	
Received on cash premiums,	\$1,120 91
" on assessments.	5,079 22
borrowed money, supplies to their	
	\$9,863 31
Cash Payments.	
	*0.000 *0
Paid on losses, "President, "P	
The state of the s	100 W4
" Secretary and Treasurer,	667 18
Agents,	1000
" for books, blanks, stationery, postage, &c. " rent, fuel, lights, and other incidentals,	VIV. BEEFFERE BEEFFERE
ore old bills,	75 34
" notes,	4,392 18
of interest,	252 92

Money in the treasury, Oct. 31,	, 1851, 48 5	1
	\$9,863 3	1
Liabilities, 2 My si evad yer	\$2,590 3	1
Means of		
Due on assessments,	\$453 8	80
" from Agents,	368 5	
Cash in the treasury,	48 5	1
	м оночнооо \$870 8	1
Balance of debt,	\$1,719 50	0.
The President of this compa as President. The last fiscal y lars for some extra services.		
The expense of adjusting lower than the adjusting lower than the application. The fifty cents for the application application. They are also allowed that the treasurer's bond is \$500. The largest risk taken is \$200.	ount paid the Directors. cation and policy goes to the d from the treasury five personant of the contract of t	er
Number of policies now in f	orceO O moinU ao budT	
Under \$500 each is, Between \$500 and \$1000, Over \$1000,		
Total,	400 tition and management	1
Issue but one policy on the s The rate of estimating the per cent.	same class of property.	
The officers of the company day for their services for time s tual expenses paid by the comp The company consists of bu	spent in adjusting losses. According	
Number of policies issued in 18		7
	850,	300
118	851,	0

8012 assessment, Sept. 6, 1848.

I find on examination that they have in some instances insured property in villages, which is not in accordance with their by-laws, but am informed by the Secretary and one of the Directors that the risks they have in villages are considered quite as safe as their farm risks.

COCHECHO MUTUAL, Dover.

This company was organized Sept. 13, 1841. Issued the

first policy Oct. 21, 1841.

During the November session of the Legislature of 1848, their charter was so amended as to authorize them to divide their risks into two or more separate classes, to be governed on much the same principles as other classed companies.

First or Farm Class, in which are taken only farm buildings and such dwelling houses and barns and their contents

as are not endangered by other buildings.

Second or Village Class, in which only village dwellings

and barns and their contents are taken.

Third or Union Class. In this class they insure farm and village dwellings as heretofore; also, stores, school houses, churches, stables and merchandise, but no property considered more hazardous than the foregoing is now taken by the company.

Condition and management of the Cochecho Mutual Fire Insurance Company from August 5, 1848 to January 1, 1852—3 years and 5 months.

From Aug. 5, 1848, to Sept. 5, 1849.

Amount of	property insured,	\$1,043,438 00
66	premium notes,	86,465 24
***	cash premiums,	435 28
100 66	policies,	126 50
000 "	losses,	5,651 27

Date of the assessment, Sept. 6, 1848. Rate assessed, 1 to 6 per cent.

Appendix.	531
Amount of the assessment, " collected on assessments, " due on assessments,	\$4,952 41 4,225 72 1,261 09
Directors' services, Secretary's " Treasurer's " Agents' " Cash Receipts.	\$40 00 176 50 250 06 126 50
The control of the little of the control of the con	
Cash in treasury, Aug. 5, 1848, Received on assessments, Cash premiums, Policies, Money borrowed,	\$7 00 4,225 72 372 31 126 50 1,450 00
	\$6,181 53
Cash payments.	
Paid on losses, "borrowed money, secretary, treasurer, agents, for books, blanks, stationery, printing and	\$3,499 14 2,093 51 176 50 250 06 126 50
post office bills, " rent, fuel, lights and other incidentals,	21 29 35 41
	\$6,202 41
Balance due the Treasurer,	20 88
Liabilities.	
Money borrowed, Due the Directors,	\$1,450 00 40 00
to the same same same	\$1,490 00

Means of Payment.

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Due on assessments, " premiums from agents,	\$1,261 189	
176 20, series	\$1,450	56
Balance of debt,	\$39	44
From September 5, 1849, to August 5,	1850.	
Amount of property insured, "premium notes, "cash premiums, "policies, "losses, Date of assessment, Nov. 10, 1849. Rate assessed, 2 to 5½ per cent.	\$987,982 80,432 521 165 4,261	00 03 00
Amount of the assessment, Collected on assessments, Due on assessments, Directors' services, Secretary's, " Treasurer's " Agent's "	\$3,685 4,149 1,047 165 215 303 151	82 40 13 00 75
Cash Receipts.		
Received on assessments, cash premiums, policies, borrowed money,	\$4,149 372 165 3,490	31 00
	\$8,177	33
Cash Payments.		
Paid on losses, borrowed money, Directors, Secretary,	\$4,261 2,638 183 215	72 63

Appendix.	533
Paid Treasurer, " Agents,	303 75 235 70
" for books, blanks, stationery, printing and post office bills, " rent, fuel, lights and other incidentals, Cash in the treasury, Sept. 5, 1850,	64 03 52 25 222 92
of de smoons of Promoun. Notes	\$8,177 33
Liabilities.	
Borrowed money, Due the Directors, Incidental bills,	\$1,576 79 21 50 79 61
New York Committee of the Committee of t	\$1,677 90
Means of Payment.	
Due the company on assessments, " from Agents on premiums, Cash in the treasury,	\$1,047 40 148 72 222 92
cach prominers.	\$1,419 04
Balance of company debt,	\$258 86

Condition and management of the Company from August 5, 1850, to January 1, 1852—17 months.

Balance of company debt,

Officers of the Company.

Ezekiel Hurd, President; Ezekiel Hurd, Josiah B. Edgerly, Charles Dennett, Oliver H. Lord, Z. Dow Creighton, David Murray, John H. Wheeler, Enoch H. Nutter, Charles W. Woodman, Benjamin Wiggin, Oliver Libbey, Joseph H. Smith, Jacob A. Penington, Directors; John H. White, Secretary; Oliver Libbey, Treasurer.

Amount of Property Insured.

1st class, in the State,	\$56,362 00
ist class, ill the state,	W C10 00
1st " out "	7,619 00

2d class, in the State,	141,732 00
2d " out "	19,612 00
3d " in " and the state of the	703,876 00
3d " out "	98,782 00
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natry, Sopt 5, 1550,	\$1,027,983 00
Amount of Premium Notes.	
1st class, in the State,	\$9.199.14
1st " out "	\$2,422 44 592 13
2d " in "	7,173 34
2d " out "	2,365 00
3d " in "	58,292 00
3d " out "	10,163 00
	\$81,007 91
Menns of Payment	
Amount of losses in the State,	\$7,890 54
" out " shomesees no que	35 00
ob the meaning of the contract	\$7,925 54
Amount of cash premiums,	\$548 20
Amount of policies,	\$181 00
Date of the assessment, Nov. 6, 1850,	\$9,028 13
" 22, 1851,	5,507 59
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Amount of the assessments,	\$14,535 72
Amount collected on assessments,	7,987 57
due on assessments,	6,554 99
Directors' fees and emoluments,	158 01
Secretary's "	285 13
Treasurer's "	599 36
Agents' "	271 50
Cash Receipts.	
Cash in the treasury, Sept. 5, 1850,	#000 N
received on assessments,	\$222 91
" premiums,	7,987 57
promiums,	548 26

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Appendix.	58	35
Amount received on policies, "borrowed to pay losses,	212 3,991	
Chrysa allowed Sy5 per somen, and for week to see the selection, 50 cents.	\$12,961	74
Cash Payments.		
		199
Paid on losses,	\$7,925	
" borrowed money,	3,278	
" Directors,	78	THE DESIGNATION OF
" Secretary,	285	400 100 100
"Treasurer,	399	SO THE R. D.
" Agents,	471	19
" for books, blanks, stationery, printing and	0.00	
postage bills,	87	
" rent, fuel, lights, and other incidental bills,	21	
Money in the treasury,	414	99
	\$12,961	74
Liabilities.		1 77
Carrier of the second s	** 081	APV
Money borrowed to pay losses,	\$5,371	
Due the Directors,	181	
Incidental bills,	101	11
Village states and talk of	\$5,653	69
Means of Payment.		
00 one and nexts their		
Due on assessments,	\$6,554	99
" from Agents on premiums and policies,	311	39
Cash in the treasury,	414	99
	\$7,281	37
Balance in favor of the company,	\$1,627	68

The President and Directors of this company have no specified salaries. They are paid for their services as Directors, \$1 50 per day for each day actually employed in the service of the company, and their travelling expenses.

Two of the Directors, for approving each application, are

allowed 10 cents each.

The Treasurer is allowed \$200 per annum, and for assessments collected by him is allowed 5 per cent.

The Secretary is allowed \$75 per annum, and for making

and recording each policy, 50 cents.

The Agents are allowed 75 cents for each approved application, 50 cents for each policy issued by them, and 5 per cent. for collecting assessments.

Cash premiums and policy moneys are all accounted for

by the Secretary.

Rate for estimating premium notes, in the first or Farm class, from 3½ to 10 per cent.; in the second, or Village class, from 5 to 10; in the third, or Union class, from 5 to 20 per cent.

No. of policies issued—	
From Sept. 5, 1848, to Sept. 5, 1849,	253
" 5, 1849, to " 5, 1850,	330
" 5, 1850, to Jan. 1, 1852,	362

The company have never required a bond of the Secretary or Treasurer.

No risks taken except those contemplated by the charter. The largest risks taken are as follows:

In the	1st cla	ss, Farm risks,	\$1200 00
"	2d "	'Village "	1800 00
"	3d "	Union "	2000 00

No smaller risks taken than \$50 00.

A few old risks are now outstanding varying from \$2000 to \$3300, which were taken prior to the change in the charter.

GRAFTON COUNTY MUTUAL, Orford.

This company was organized and issued their first policy in October, 1839.

\$4,767 65

Appendix.

Condition of the Company from July 1, 1848, to July 1, 1849.

1049.	
Amount of property insured,	\$432,891 00
premium notes,	28,211 00
" losses,	395 00
cash premiums,	62 51
" collected on assessments,	4,280 14
" due on assessments and from Agents,	200 00
" paid on losses,	3,717 44
" of borrowed money,	848 31
of company expenses,	200 00
Cash Receipts.	
Cash Receipts.	
On policies,	\$25 00
Cash premiums,	62 51
Assessments,	4,280 14
	400 00
Borrowed money,	100 00

Cash Payments.	

On losses, Borrowed money, Company expenses, in full for officers and Age	\$3,717 44 848 31 ents, 200 00
Cash in the treasury,	\$4,765 75 1 90
	\$4,767 65
Total amount of common debt, "due the company,	\$600 00 200 00
Balance of debt,	\$400 00
Condition of the Company from July 1, 18 1850.	349, to July 1,

Amount of	property insured,	\$422,104 00
"	premium notes,	27,200 00

Amount of losses,	425	00
cash premiums,	51	21
confected on assessments,	256	
of money borrowed,	550	
para off fosses,	425	
resident's safary and fees,		00
of Directors		00
" of Secretary's " " " of Treasurer's " "		00
of fleasulets		00
	60	00
of book, stationery and post office expenses,	24	48
Cash Receipts.		
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Cash in treasury, July 1, 1849,	\$1	
Received on policies,	23	
cash premiums,	51	
old assessments,	256	
borrowed money,	550	00
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Cash Payments.		
Cash I ayments.		
Paid on losses,	425	00
" President and Directors,	80	
"Secretary,	60	00
"Treasurer,	15	00
"Agents,	60	00
" for books, stationery, &c.,	24	48
" office rent, fuel, lights, &c.,	32	62
***************************************	697	10
Paid borrowed money,	171	
Cash in the treasury,	13	05
00 0018	882	12
Little and the second s		
Total amount of debt, \$10		
Total amount due the company, 2		00
Balance of debt,	750	00

The following shows the condition and management of the company from July 1, 1850, to Jan. 1, 1852:

Officers of the Company—A. G. Britton, President; A. G. Britton, Stedman Willard, Daniel P. Wheeler, William Howard, Willard Hosford, Edward M. Bissell, Andrew S. Woods, David C. Churchill, John S. Bryant, Directors; Edward M. Bissell, Secretary; William Howard, Treasurer.

Amount of property insured— In New Hampshire, Out of New Hampshire,	\$376,810 00 9,266 00
expenses 165 53	\$386,076 00
Amount of premium notes— In New Hampshire, Out of New Hampshire,	\$24,995 00 588 00
	\$25,583 00
Amount of cash premiums— In New Hampshire, Out of New Hampshire,	\$165 75 3 42
	\$169 17
Amount of losses, (all in the State,)	\$414 00
Amount of the assessment, the property of	\$1,550 00
Date of the assessment, October, 1851. Rate assessed from $1\frac{1}{4}$ to $6\frac{1}{4}$ per cent.	expense pur y to july l ₃ la 1343, is given
Amount collected on assessments, " due on " paid on losses,	\$196 51 1353 49 414 00
President and Directors' salaries and fees,	70 00
Secretary's salary and fees, Treasurer's "	$65\ 00$ $15\ 00$
Agents' fees,	60 00
Expense for books, stationery, printing, postage, of office rent, fuel, lights, &c.,	&c., 24 48 25 00

Cash Receipts.

Cash in treasury, July 1, 1850,	\$13	05
Received on policies,	24	50
cash premiums,	30	49
assessments,	196	51
borrowed money,	500	00
soll, Secretary; William Howard, Treasurer,	\$764	55
Cash Payments.		
Paid on losses,	\$414	CO
" company expenses,	165	
Cash in the treasury,	185	
on 1997 manufer of the state of	\$764	55
Liabilities of the company are, for borrowed money and balance due officers for their services, and incidental bills,	\$1405	73
Means of Payment.		
Amount due the company on assessments and from Agents,	\$1361	81
Balance of debt,	\$43	92

According to the books of this company, their average expense per year for conducting its affairs, from Oct. 1, 1839, to July 1, 1848, is \$138 96. The expense since July 1, 1848, is given in the foregoing report.

The cash premiums are all paid into the treasury, applied and accounted for in the same manner as other moneys belonging to the company.

The company have never required bonds of the Secretary or Treasurer.

The largest risk taken is \$4000. The smallest is \$40. Insure farm buildings, dwelling-houses in villages, stores

and merchandise. Do not insure taverns, mills, manufactories or meeting-houses.

The rate for estimating the premium notes is from 5 to 7

per cent. on farm buildings, from 6 to 10 on village property, and from 10 to 12 on stores and merchandise.

The company have 18 local Agents.

The Agents and applicants fix the value of the property

insured, subject to the decision of the Directors.

Agents are paid from 1 to 5 per cent. for collecting assessments, and the fifty cents policy fee, and no other emoluments.

The expense for adjusting losses the past year was \$10-

included in Directors' services.

Whole number of policies now in force is 470.

No risks taken except those contemplated by their charter. The Directors receive no extra pay for approving policies.

The cash premium is three per cent. in all cases.

The cost of insurance in this company has averaged, (including the 3 per cent. premium,) about $3\frac{3}{4}$ per cent. per annum. For losses alone, about 3 per cent. per annum.

FARMERS' AND MECHANICS' MUTUAL, Epping.

Organized for business January 21, 1841.

Amount of business done by the company from March 1, 1846, to March 1, 1851, (5 years.)

Amount	of property insured,	\$1,255,809 00
"	premium notes,	63,384 14
"	cash premiums,	276 77
18 66	losses, Ole I il bonesi soroi	3,164 00
16 66	assessments,	3,500 32
0 "	collected on assessments,	3,053 89
66	due on assessments,	219 43
	paid on losses,	3,164 00
66	" five Directors, (five years,)	133 00
66	" Secretary, "	125 93
"	"Treasurer,	137 17
"	" for books, stationery, &c.,	31 15
66	" for all other incidentals,	11 50
Indebted	lness of the company, March 1, 1851	, 1 17

Condition and management of the Company from March 1, 1851, to March 1, 1852.

Officers of the Company—Joseph C. Plumer, President; Joseph C. Plumer, Thomas Folsom, Zebulon Sanborn, John O. Cilley, George W. Lawrence, Directors; Abraham Plumer, Secretary and Treasurer.

Amount of property insured,	\$135,372	00
" premium notes,	6,622	
" cash premiums,	10	77
" collected on assessments,	166	17
" due on assessments,	93	26
" paid Secretary,	5	44
" " Treasurer,	12	00
" for books and stationery,	1	00
" " for incidentals,	2	50
Indebtedness of the company, March 1, 1852,	67	23

The President of this company receives no compensation only as one of the Directors. The Directors in former years received a small compensation, but nothing now.

The Secretary does the duties of both Secretary and Treasurer, for which he received the past year \$17 44. The company employ no Agents; the Directors and Secretary do all the business of the company.

The whole expense for adjusting losses the three past years is \$13, which is included in the payments to the officers.

The value of the property insured is fixed by the Directors.

Number of	policies	issued in	1849,	losses	84
38,000,8	- "	"	1850,		31
8 053 89	"	66	1851.		16

No charge made or money paid in for application and policy.

No bond required of the Secretary or Treasurer.

The rate for estimating premium notes is two per cent.

The cash premiums are accounted for by the Treasurer,
the same as other moneys.

Insure property in farming communities, and none other.

GREAT FALLS MUTUAL, Somersworth.

This company was organized May 2, 1849.

Consists of four classes; three only have gone into operation.

Officers of the Company—Ichabod G. Jordon, President; Ichabod G. Jordon, John A. Burleigh, Nathaniel Wells, Samuel Clark, Daniel G. Rollins, Jacob C. Hanson, Ezra Harthen, Directors; Henry Y. Hayes, Secretary, Treasurer and General Agent.

The following comprises the business of the company

from its organization to December 21, 1850:

	property insured, premium notes,	\$523,877 69 36,014 22
09 (6	losses,	766 51

Cash Receipts.

On cash premiums,	\$651 55
Borrowed money,	1199 66
	\$1851 21

Cash Payments.

On losses, Secretary and Treasurer, Books, blanks, post office bills and stationery, Office rent, fixtures and other incidentals,	\$726 51 300 00 401 59
and roll, fixtures and other incidentals,	423 11

The debt is for borrowed money and interest, amounting to \$1300.

The following shows the management and condition of the company from December 21, 1850, to January 1, 1852:

Amount of property insured—	
1st class in the State, " out of the State,	\$70,673 00 172,323 69

zu class in the State,	146,831 235,362	
out of the State,	82,706	
3d class in the State, " out of the State,	207.227	00
	201,221	
\$	915,122	69
Amount of premium notes—		
let alass in the State	\$3,413	38
" out of the State.	8,039	89
2d class in the State,	9,035	04
" out of the State,	14,376	
3d class in the State,	14,672	95
" out of the State,	13,109	93
Tropogy named, Section 38 014 22	\$62,647	98
Io dan		
Amount of cash premiums—	\$95	76
1st class in the State,	319	
" out of the State,	215	
2d class in the State,	635	
out of the state,	193	
3d class in the State,	803	
out of the State,	000	
y berrowel Cash Payments	\$2,263	66
Paid Secretary and Treasurer,	\$632	76
" Agents,	272	00
for books, blanks, stationery, post office bil	ls	
and printing,	391	07
" for rent, wood, lights, and all other incider	n-	
101 rent, wood, fights, and all whot more	366	6 08
tal expenses,	554	1 50
" borrowed money,		
	\$2,216	5 41
Deduct the sum paid Agents,	279	00 5
Deduct the sum paid Agents,	d a state of	
Amount paid from treasury,	\$1,94	4 41
Depending meaned — The Property and Property		. 1

The Agents receive for their services fifty cents of the cash premiums and fifty cents policy fee, and agency fee one

dollar, and are not allowed to charge the applicants anything. Their fees amounted last year to \$272, which is not charged in the cash account of receipts and payments; for that reason it is deducted from the account of general payments.

Cash Receipts.

Borrowed money, Cash premiums,	\$636 67 1,571 50
the Secretary.	\$2,208 17
Cash Payments.	
Borrowed money,	\$554 50
Officers and company expenses, not including Agents,	1,389 91
Cash in treasury,	1,944 41 263 76
	\$2,208 17
Liabilities.	
For money borrowed,	\$1,400 00
Means.	
Due from Agents and for cash premiums, Balance of difference and interest account due	\$692 16
company, Cash in the treasury,	1,800 00 263 76
nis, not endangered by other buildings, large se-	\$2,755 92
Balance in favor of the company,	\$1,355 92

When the company commenced business they took 3 per cent. on premium notes at the time of issuing the policy. January 4, 1851, the company adopted the new by-laws of taking 10 per cent. on notes instead of 3 per cent.

The balance of difference and interest is entered on a new

account, charging those who were insured before January 4, 1851, the difference between the 3 per cent. and 10 per cent., which is considered by the officers of the company

good.

The Secretary acts as general Agent. His duties are to examine the risks taken and the surveys made by the local Agents, and whenever any improper risk or amount is insured in the company, or any mis-statements made, to report the same to the Directors, who have the power of canceling the policy by giving the insured ten days notice in writing, signed by the Secretary.

The Secretary receives no salary as general Agent, his ex-

penses being paid by the company while on duty.

A portion of the payments of the year ending Dec. 31,

1851, is for unsettled expenses of former years.

The Secretary and Treasurer's salary is \$600 per year.— No other officer has any fixed salary.

Expense of adjusting losses the past year was \$2 50—which is included in the incidental expenses.

No rule established for collecting assessments.

The Directors receive no compensation.

The rate per cent. for estimating premium notes is from 4 to 8 in the first class, from 4 to 15 in the second and fourth, and from 8 to 20 in the third class. 10 per cent. of the premium notes is paid down at the time of the insurance, which is supposed may be sufficient to meet all losses and expenses without making any assessments.

No bond has been required of the Secretary and Treasurer; but a bond of \$500 is required in some cases of the

Agents.

No risks are taken except those contemplated by the charter.

The company insure in the 1st class, dwelling houses and their contents, not endangered by other buildings. In the second class, dwelling houses, barns, and out-buildings connected or belonging to the same, in towns and villages. In the third class, merchandise, stores, public houses, public boarding houses, churches, academies, and other property not more hazardous; but no property immediately endangered by special hazards, such as carpenters', blacksmiths', and other shops of like nature, is insured in this company.

CARROLL COUNTY MUTUAL-Sandwich.

This company was organized at Centre Sandwich, October 12, 1846. Commenced issuing policies Jan'y 4, 1847.

Officers of the company—Samuel Emerson, President; Samuel Emerson, Daniel Hoit, Joel Eastman, Charles White, Augustus Blanchard, Stephen Beede, John S. Quimby, D. H. Folsom, D. G. Beede, Directors; William H. Marston, Secretary; Timothy Varney, Treasurer.

The Secretary and Treasurer are under bonds of \$2000

each.

Management of the company from Jan'y 4, 1847, to December 31, 1850.

Amount of property insured—	
In New Hampshire,	\$456,378 00
Maine,	203,889 00
Vermont,	14,325 00
octors, i.e. a compensation of 10 34	\$674,592 00
Amount of premium notes—	
In New Hampshire,	\$23,988 41
Maine,	11,646 13
Vermont,	619 75
	\$36,254 29
Amount of cash premiums,	\$900 81
losses, language and the	1,406 09
Date of assessment, Sept. 13, 1849. Rate assessed, from 1 to 8 per cent.	Oash in the tr
	Drugger ussess
Amount of the assessment,	\$1,158 36
Collected on the assessment,	659 17
Due on the assessments,	\$499 19
Amount paid on losses,	\$1,406 00
President's salary and other emoluments,	25 61
Directors' " " "	142 34
Secretary's " " "	781 00
Treasurer's " " " " amine	93 61

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Appendix.

Total amount paid Agents, Amount paid for books, blanks, postage bills, s tionery and printing,	781 00 ta-
Cash Receipts.	
For assessments, cash premiums, policies, borrowed money,	\$659 17 900 81 - 781 00 1,515 00
	\$3,855 98
Cash Payments.	
Paid on losses, \$1,406 0 " policies to Agents, 781 0 " Treasurer, 93 6 " Secretary, 781 0 " President, 25 6 " nine Directors, 142 3 " books, stationery, &c., 127 7	00 51 60 51 64
Cash in the treasury,	\$498 67
Liabilities.	
Money borrowed, Means of Payment.	\$1,515 00
Cash in the treasury, Due on assessments, \$498.6 499.1	
Balance of debt,	\$517 14

The following shows the management and condition of the company from December 31, 1850, to January 1, 1852:

Amount of Property Insured.

In New Hampshire,

\$571,378 00

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A	p	p	e	n	d	1	X.

In Maine, 287,689 In Vermont, 15,525	
\$864,592	00
Amount of Premium Notes.	
In New Hampshire, \$24,413 In Maine, 12,000 In Vermont, 640	63
\$37,054	30
Amount of cash premiums, \$254	76
Amount of Losses.	
In New Hampshire, In Maine, \$694	
\$1,094	00
Date of the assessment, Sept. 13, 1851. Rate assessed, from 1 to $5\frac{3}{4}$ per cent.	
Amount of the assessment, \$1,412	97
Amount collected on assessments, \$650	50
Amount due on assessments, \$1,261	66
Directors' " 30 Secretary's " 204	08 32
Treasurer's " 46 Total amount paid Agents, 204 Amount paid for books, blanks, post office bills, stationery and printing, 16	00
Cash Receipts.	
Received for assessments, Cash premiums, for policies, \$650 254	76

Received borrowed money, Cash in treasury, Dec. 31, 1850,	2,000 00 498 67
	\$3,607 93
Cash Payments.	from Jan
Paid on losses, "Agents for policies, "Treasurer, "Secretary, "President, "nine Directors, "for books, stationery, &c., "borrowed money, Cash in the treasury,	\$1,094 00 204 00 46 50 204 00 10 08 30 32 16 88 1,239 00 763 15
	\$3,607 93
Liabilities.	
Money borrowed,	\$2,276 00
Means of payment.	
Due on assessments, Money in treasury,	\$1,261 66 763 15
30 102.13 11 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10 10	\$2,024 81
Balance of debt,	\$251 19

The President of this company receives no stated salary. The Directors are paid \$1 for each day's attendance, and 5 cents per mile for travel each way.

The Secretary is paid 50 cents for making each policy

and recording the same. No other emoluments.

The Treasurer is paid 5 per cent. of the cash premiums, and 5 per cent. for collecting assessments. No other emoluments.

The Agents are allowed the 50 cents policy money, and

no other emoluments.

The President is paid one cent for signing each policy. The company have no general or travelling agent.

Expense of adjusting losses last year, \$6 50, is included in the amount paid officers.

Rate for estimating premium notes is from 4 to 6 per cent.

Number of policies, Jan. 1, 1851, "from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, 408

The value of the property insured is fixed by the appli-

Cash premiums are accounted for by the Treasurer same as other moneys.

The largest amount taken on any single or combined risk

is \$1500. The smallest risk taken is \$100.

Insure the usual property of farmers only, or such as are

equivalent thereto.

The Directors of this company appoint all Agents. A commission is given them, signed by the President and countersigned by the Secretary, recorded on the company's records.

NEW HAMPSHIRE MUTUAL, Concord.

This company was organized in 1825, and issued the first policy in October.

Total amount of business done by the company from October, 1825, to June 1, 1845—20 years.

Amount of property insured,	\$15,519,435 00
premium notes,	1,091,523 08
cash premiums,	31,644 29
paid Directors for services,	5,807 57
Secretary "	14,995 00
" Treasurer "	4,524 83
" for books, stationery, printing,	post
office, rent, &c.,	2,304 70
of losses,	137,373 93
Number of assessments, 11, varying from 3	to 8 per cent.
Amount of assessments,	\$133,277 63
Amount paid on losses,	137,373 93

Total amount of business of the company from June 1, 1845, to June 1, 1846.

Amount of property insured,	\$378,957 00
premium notes,	40,735 20
cash premiums,	1,122 14
" paid Directors for services,	357 54
" Secretary "	400 00
Treasurer " hot moon and and	312 50
" for books, blanks, stationery, pri	nt-m tedto as
ing, postage, rent and other in	ci-
dentals, lead den dendema at	68 09
Amount of losses (for two years,)	\$22,895 88
Amount of assessments,	\$24,325 17
Rate assessed, 11 per cent.	
Amount paid on losses,	\$22,895 88

From June 1, 1846, to June 1, 1847.

Amount of property insured,	\$309,302 00
premium notes,	32,142 25
cash premiums,	926 87
" paid Directors for services,	240 23
" Secretary "	400 00
" Treasurer "	447 93
" for blanks, books, stationery, pri	nt-
ing, postage, rent and other in	
dentals,	58 50
Amount of losses,	\$14,274 52
Amount of assessments,	\$15,472 32
Rate assessed, 7 per cent.	
Amount paid on losses,	\$14,274 52

From June 1, 1847, to June 1, 1848.

Amount of	property insured,	\$302,590 00
	premium notes,	32,438 15
187,870 98	cash premiums,	939 82

Appendix.	553
Amount paid Directors for services, "Secretary "Treasurer "for books, blanks, stationery, priing, postage, rent and other indentals,	
Amount of losses,	\$12,700 00
Amount of assessments,	\$13,970 16
Rate per cent. assessed, 7 per cent.	
Amount paid on losses,	\$12,700 00
From June 1, 1848, to June 1, 184	19.
Amount of property insured, " premium notes, " cash premiums, " paid Directors for services, " " Secretary " " " Treasurer " " " for books, blanks, stationery, pring, postage, rent and other indentals, Amount of losses, Amount of assessments, Rate assessed, 8 per cent. Amount paid on losses,	\$284,903 00 33,317 06 959 86 259 00 400 00* 400 00 int- nci- 116 02 \$13,519 00 \$13,870 16
From June 1, 1849, to June 1, 185	50.
Amount of property insured, " premium notes, " cash premiums, " paid Directors for services, " Secretary " " Treasurer " " of books, blanks, stationery, pring ing, postage, rent and other in	
dentals,	80 78

Appendix.

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Amount of losses,			\$10,825 14
Amount of assessmen	its,		\$10,797 41
Rate assessed, 7 per c	ent.		Line: A gentler
Amount paid on losse			\$10,825 14
Se se			φ10,020 14
The condition and me 1, 1850, to J	anagement of January 1,	f the Compan 1852—19 mon	y from June ths.
Officers of the Con Matthew Harvey, Nat el A. Kimball, J. Ste ors; William Kent, S	than Stickner phens Abbo	ey, Stephen B tt, William Ch	r, President; rown, Samu- loate, Direct-
Amount of property i	nsured, Dec	. 31, 1851, \$	1,038,213 00
" premium	notes,	operty insure	106,407 63
cash pren	niums,		559 03
losses,		ish premiuns	25,703 69
Rate assessed, 25 per	cent.		
Amount of the assess	ment,		\$29,000 00
Date of the assessmen	nt, Sept., 18	51.	
Amount collected on	the last and	former assess	
ments,			\$19,182 56
Amount due—			
On the assessment of	,	\$22,005 1	
" "	1850,	3,626 7	
00 215 518	1849, 1848,	2,4134 269	
"	1847,	142 0	
	1846,	50 0	
		tump en lang	- \$28,264 40
Amount paid on losse	es and borrow ther purpose		\$18,883 20 1,098 5 4
Indebtedness of the c	company,		\$27,147 02
	full for their	services as D	i- "
rectors, Agents for ing policies and ap		ses and approv	246 45

Paid the Secretary for his services as Secretary and Treasurer, The Agents receive 50 cents from the applicant for application, and the 50 cents for policy, and no other emolument, except for collecting assessments, which amounted the past year to Most of the assessments are paid in at the	600 34 Treasure	81
Amount paid for books, blanks, stationery, printing and postage, Paid for office rent and other incidental expenses,	s117	28
Cash receipts from June 1, 1850, to January	1, 1852.	
Cash on hand, May 31, 1850, " premiums received, " received from Agents on policies of previous years, Received for applications made at the office, Borrowed money of banks, \$3000, less interest \$53 67,	\$90 286	41 77 00
Collected on assessments,	19,182	
	\$22,820	04
Payments.		
Paid borrowed money and losses, "President, six Directors, Secretary and Treasurer, Agents, office rent, for blanks, books, stationery, printing, postage, &c., Cash on hand, May 31, 1851, "December 31, 1851,	\$18,883 10 246 600 34 90 117 287 2,550	00 45 00 81 00 28 93
umy fer, 1852, as 1835, 282 16, 40-	\$22,820	04

Liabilities.

Cash due the banks for money borrowed to pay losses,	\$4,783 68
Cash due to individuals for money borrowed to pay losses,	4,325 30
Cash due to sufferers by the late fire at Concord,	18,038 04

\$27,147 02

Means of Payment.

Money due on assessments laid in Sept., 1851, " " Aug., 1850, " all prior assessments, " in the treasury,	\$22,005 18 3,626 79 2,632 43 2,838 30
te neg	\$31,102 60

Balance of means, washing no ainst

\$3,955 68

A portion of the old assessments are considered by the

Secretary worthless.

The number of policies issued last year was 46, amounting to \$23, which is not accounted for by the Treasurer, as it belongs by the rules of the company to the Agent who makes the application for the policies, and pay over the 3 per cent. cash premiums.

The company have 25 local Agents.

The officers of the company are allowed for adjusting losses, or any other company business from home, one dollar per day and their expenses.

The Directors are allowed 10 cents for approving each policy. The amount is included in their annual bill of ser-

vices.

Paid last year for legal services, seven dollars, which is included in the payment of incidental expenses.

The expense of adjusting losses, if any, is included in the payment to the Directors.

Total amount of losses since the organization of the company to January 1st, 1852, is \$237,292 16.

Pne on assessments,

Total amount of	expenses	for conducting	the	affairs of
the company during	the same	time, (26 years))—	

	Directors' services,	\$7,353 35
	Secretary's "	17,695 00
	Treasurer's "	6.377 71
66	books, blanks, stationery, postage, and all	ov Trouble
	other incidental expenses,	2,919 21
	from \$260 per annum—amounting in factor	\$34 345 27

Making an average expense per annum of \$1121 10.

Amount of cash received for the three per cent. premiums is From which deduct office or company expenses	\$36,534 76
same time,	34,345 27
Leaving a balance of for the payment on losses.	\$2,189 49

MERRIMACK COUNTY MUTUAL, Concord.

This company was organized July 1, 1831.

Business of the Company from July 1, 1831, to July 1, 1846, (14 years.)

Amount of	property insured,	\$27,607,200 00
***************************************	premium notes,	1,598,593 30
"	cash premiums,	10,653 97
F0 1 4 88	losses,	21,684 50
FE 16.8	assessments,	17,711 67
" d	ue on assessments,	1.548 64

Number of assessments 4, varying from 3½ to 6 per cent.

Amount paid on losses, \$21,684 50

Officers of the company consist of nine Directors, one of

which is President. Their average pay per annum during the first fourteen years was not far from \$152, making the total expense of the Directors, \$2,128 00.

The Secretary received for his services the money paid in for policies and applications, which averages not far from \$175 per year—in fourteen years amounting to \$2,450.

The Treasurer has been paid at the end of the year the sum which the Directors please to allow him, which averages not far from \$260 per annum—amounting in fourteen years to \$3,680.

Business of the Company from July 1, 1846, to January 1, 1847.

Amount of property insured, Dec. 31, 1846, \$2 "premium notes, cash premiums, losses,	,816,406 00 196,767 92 934 46 8,207 74
No assessment this year.	
Collected on former assessments, Due on assessments, Paid on losses,	\$1,045 80 3,170 79 6,390 90
" for all other purposes, including borrowed money, Indebtedness of the company, Total amount paid Directors and Secretary, " Treasurer, " Agents,	1,974 34 13,689 41 516 72 315 00 16 92
for books, blanks, stationery, printing, postage, &c., for all other incidental expen-	43 05
ses, adjusting losses, law expenses, &c.,	102 24
Cash receipts, " payments, Due the Treasurer, \$132 63.	\$8,224 61 8,357 24
Liabilities of the company,	\$13,689 41

Means of Payment.

Due from the Secretary and Agents, partly una-

vailable, Due on assessments, \$1,291 40 3,170 79	\$4,462 19
Balance of debt,	\$9,227 21
From January 1, 1847, to January 1, 18	48.
Amount of property insured, Dec. 31, 1847, \$2, "premium notes, cash premiums, policies, losses,	809,169 00 160,538 70 853 00 4,724 09
Time of assessment, April, 1847. Average rate assessed, 7 ¹ / ₁₀ per cent.	
Amount collected on assessments and interest, due on assessments, of the assessment,	\$7,530 05 7,945 95 12,179 62
Paid on losses, " for all other purposes, including borrowed	\$4,245 02
money, Indebtedness of the company, Paid eight Directors,	6,900 31 12,007 45 178 32
" Secretary, " Treasurer,	274 00 132 63 77 97
for books, blanks, stationery, printing, postage, &c.,	118 62
" for all other incidental expenses, adjusting losses, law expenses, &c.,	39 00
Cash receipts, " payments,	\$11,139 98 11,137 33
Cash in the treasury,	\$2 65
Liabilities of the company,	\$12,007 45

Means of Payment.

Due from the Secretary and Agents,

partly unavailable, Due on five assessments,	\$1,249 83 7,945 95	\$9,195 78
Balance of debt,	alog Imgraob	\$2,801 67
From January 1, 1848, to .	January 1, 1	849.
Amount of property insured, Dec. 3 Premium notes, Cash premiums and policies, Losses, Time of assessment, April, 1848. Average rate assessed, 5 per cent. Amount of the assessments,	d interest, and all other onery, print- al expenses,	555,513 00 146,488 12 630 14 7,834 43 7,981 11 6,987 05 9,153 94 7,492 07 7,099 69 14,149 11 168 44 187 50 250 00 75 58 40 80 100 59 14,320 72 14,583 76 263 04
Due from the Secretary and Agent		
partly unavailable, Due on six assessments,	\$1,291 40 9,153 94	10,445 34
Balance of debt,	the Secretary	\$3,703 77

From January 1, 1849, to January 1, 1850.

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Amount of property insured, Dec. 31, 1849, \$2		
Premium notes,	121,131	
Cash premiums and policies,	399	
Losses,	6,014	13
Time of assessment, April, 1848.		
Average rate assessed, $7\frac{3}{10}$ per cent.	10.000	-
Amount of the assessment,	10,895	
confected on assessments and interest,	11,235	
due on seven assessments,	9,343	
" paid on losses,	7,021	35
for borrowed money and all other		70
purposes,	7,419	
Indebtedness of the company,	10,043	
Paid eight Directors,	124	
occiotal y,	114	
"Treasurer,	250	
21601165,	53	48
" for books, blanks, stationery, printing, post-	22	01
office bills, &c.,		04
Paid for all other incidental expenses, adjusting	370	60
losses, law expenses, &c.,	370	00
Cash receipts,	\$14,379	17
Cash Payments.		
	# W 001	0.4
Paid on losses,	\$7,021	
" company expenses,	935	
" borrowed money,	6,475	85
en assessments, \$10.77 sp + 202 of	\$14,432	88
Balance due the Treasurer,	\$53	71
Indebtedness,	\$10,043	39
Magna of Payment		
Means of Payment.		
Due from the Secretary and Agents,	\$1,157	91
" on seven assessments,	9,343	
adley, F. N. Tiek, Samuel Conin, P. S. Towle,	B biophi	-
	\$10,501	77

Balance in favor of the company,

\$458 38

From January 1, 1850, to January 1, 1851.

Amount of property insured, Dec. 31, 1850,	\$1,766,471 00
" premium notes,	98,524 82
" cash premiums and policies,	325 24
" losses,	3,114 79
No assessment this year.	
Amount collected on former assessments,	2,462 20
" due on assessments,	7,047 85
" paid on losses,	2,757 75
" borrowed money and all other p	
poses,	3,089 29
Amount of indebtedness,	10,235 92
" paid eight Directors,	125 32
" Secretary.	111 50
" Treasurer,	303 68
" Agents,	197 59
" books, blanks, printing, postage	TO SECURE OF THE PARTY OF THE P
" for all other incidental expenses	
justing losses, law expenses, &c.,	117 90
Cash receipts,	5,773 76
Cash payments,	5,839 04
Balance due the Treasurer,	65 28
Dalatice and the Treasurer,	00 20
Liabilities of the company,	\$10,235 92
Liabilities of the company,	4910,200 32

Means of Pay	ment.	Rud on lo
Due from Secretary and Agents, partly unavailable; Due on seven assessments,	\$1,044 07 7,047 85	8,091 92
Balance of debt,	200	\$2,144 00

The condition and management of the Company, from December 31, 1850, to January 1, 1852.

Officers of the Company—Richard Bradley, President; Richard Bradley, F. N. Fisk, Samuel Coffin, E. S. Towle, Joseph B. Walker, James Wilson, jr., Shadrach Seavey,

Ephraim Eaton, Directors; Samuel Morril, Secretuel Coffin, Treasurer.	tary; Sam	-
Amount of property insured, Dec. 31, 1851, \$1, premium notes,	429,085 00 77,464 9 286 50	1
cash premiums and policies, losses, Date of assessment, April, 1851.	12,009 23	
Rate assessed, $6\frac{8}{10}$ per cent.	0.170.10	0
Amount of the assessment, " collected on assessment and interest,	8,179 19 6,604 68	
" due on assessments,	9,164 1	
" paid on losses,	11,404 4	
" for borrowed money and for all oth-	orton and	
er purposes,	7,765 9	
Indebtedness of the company,	16,047 4	3
Paid the Directors in full for their services as Di-	166 39	0
rectors and Agents,	100 5	
Paid Secretary, "Treasurer,	250 0	
" Agents,	41 9	
" for books, blanks, stationery, printing, post	- Suclaus	
age, &c.,	61 6	4
Paid for all other incidental expenses, adjusting	5	0
losses, rents, &c.,	148 9	8
Cash Receipts.		
Received on assessments and interest,	\$6,604 6	
" cash premiums and policies,	286 5	
" on policies surrendered,	24 4	
" money borrowed,	11,273 2	U
retary is allowed the fifty comis policy monthly 22	\$18,188 8	7
Cash Payments.		
a assignment or policy, which mother up the	gerthous	0
201012000	\$11,404 4	
" borrowed money,	5,990 5 166 3	
" eight Directors, in full for all services, " Secretary, " "	100 5	
"Treasurer, " " "	250 0	OF STREET
"Agents, " " "	41 9	
45		

" for books, blanks, stationery, printing, an	d
postage bills,	61 64
Paid incidental expenses, adjusting losses, law ex	(-
penses, rents, &c.,	144 98
Paid Treasurer, balance due him Jan'y 1, 1850,	65 28
	\$18,234 62
Balance due Treasurer, Jan'y 1, 1852,	\$45 75
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Liabilities.

The debts of the company are for losses by fire, and borrowed money, amounting in all to the sum of, \$16,047 43

Means of Payment.

means of Faym	ent.	Cald Star D
Amount due from Agents, on old bill partly unavailable, Amount due on assessments,	\$925 61 9,164 17	
	- A THE TOTAL OF THE PARTY OF T	10,089 78
Balance of debt,	the age of the section	\$5,957 65

The President is allowed \$8 per annum for his services as President, which sum is included in his services as Director.

The Directors are paid six cents for examining and approving each application and policy, six cents for examining and approving notices of alterations in policies, \$1 per day for attending regular meetings of the Directors, and \$1 50 per day for services adjusting losses or attending to any company business from home.

The Secretary is allowed the fifty cents policy money for making and recording the same, fifty cents for application made at the office and twenty-five cents for examining and recording an assignment of policy, which makes up his wearly compensation.

yearly compensation.

The Agents are allowed to take the fifty cents policy fee for their services, also they are allowed from the treasury five per cent. for collecting assessments.

The number of policies issued last year, 146.

For which the Secretary was paid, And for applications at the office,

\$73 00 36 00

\$109 00

The value of the property insured is fixed by the applicant.

The company pay no fixed salary to any officer.

The largest risk taken is \$3000.

No risks taken other than those contemplated by the charter.

The Treasurer's bond is \$10,000.

WARREN L. LANE, Insurance Commissioner. Manchester, N. H., June, 1852.

REPORT OF CHARLES F. BROOKS.

To the Hon. Legislature of the State of New Hampshire:

The undersigned, one of the Insurance Commissioners, having, at the dates specified, made examination into the condition and management of the several Fire Insurance Companies hereinafter mentioned, respectfully submits the following

REPORT:

PORTSMOUTH MUTUAL, Portsmouth.—Dec. 31, 1851.

This company was incorporated in 1839.

Ichabod Rollins is President. The Directors are William Stavers, Richard Jenness, W. H. Y. Hackett, J. K. Pickering, J. N. Handy, John Knowlton, Joseph Graves and R. K. Lawrence; John Salter, Secretary and Treasurer.

Amount of	property at risk, Dec. 1, 1851, premium notes, "	\$1,203,887 00 109,864 44
Sums asses	losses for the last fiscal year,	9,827 52 11,041 86
Liabilities,		\$5,000 00

Means.

Money loaned on interest, Cash on hand, Due on assessments and from agents,	\$3,000 00 800 00 2,600 00
Total means,	\$6,400 00
Balance of means over liabilities,	\$1,400 00

The President and Directors receive for their services \$250 per annum, and \$5 per day and expenses while transacting business for the company out of the city of Portsmouth.

The whole amount paid each individual officer, in full for

his services for the last fiscal year, is as follows:

Ichabod Rollins, President,	\$31 25
William Stavers, Director,	31 25
Richard Jenness, "	51 55
W. H. Y. Hackett, "	81 05
J. K. Pickering, "	31 25
John Knowlton,	51 56
J. N. Handy,	40 59
Joseph Graves,	4 00
R. K. Lawrence,	4 00

The salary of the Secretary and Treasurer is, in full, \$600.00

Amount paid for adjusting losses, \$100 00

Agents are paid by the company 50 cents for each application by them forwarded to the office of the company and approved.

The company pay their agents five per cent. on all assess-

ments by them collected.

The aggregate amount paid agents for collecting assessments, since July 10, 1851, is \$346 45.

The value of property to be insured is fixed by the Agent taking the application.

Expenses of the company the past year, so far as known,

\$1000.

The bond of the Secretary and Treasurer is \$1500.

EQUITABLE MUTUAL, Concord.—Jan. 7, 1852.

This company was organized July 27, 1846.

The Directors are Timothy Haynes, Caleb Parker, Paul Wentworth, John Lancaster and George H. H. Silsby. Timothy Haynes is President; Mitchel Gilmore, Secretary; and Paul Wentworth, Treasurer.

The amount of	property at risk is	\$3,640,861 00
"	premium notes is	174,736 00
	losses in 1851 is	3,554 50

The company have made but one assessment since its organization. Sum assessed, \$5,842.

Due on assessments,	\$3,960 00 1,381 91
Indebtedness,	\$2,578 09

The salary of the President is, per annum, \$50.

The Secretary receives 50 cents on each policy made, and 25 cents each for recording assignments; in addition to which he has been paid for making report to Secretary of State.

Total amount paid Secretary, \$593, which was in full for his services, except the small sum paid him for approving and recording assignments and transfers of policies, the amount of which he is unable to state.

The Treasurer has been paid \$250 since the organization

of the company, averaging about \$40 per annum.

The Directors receive each one dollar for attending the monthly and special meetings of the company, and six cents on each application and permit by them approved, requiring the names of two Directors.

The President was paid in full for his services last year, \$75.

The Directors were paid in full for their services the last

year, as follows, viz:

Caleb Parker,	\$29 16
George H. H. Silsby,	26 74
Paul Wentworth,	88 00
Timothy Haynes,	89 60
John Lancaster,	10 54

Total amount paid Directors for 1850 is

\$264 00

Officers or Agents are paid \$2 per diem and expenses while attending to the adjustment of losses.

Total amount paid officers and agents for adjusting losses,

from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, \$94 74.

Agents are paid 50 cents for each application taken by the company, and 50 cents of the applicant for each policy.

The company employs a General Agent, whose duty it is to appoint and superintend local agencies, examine and report on losses, and look after the general interests of the company out of the office. He receives no established salary, but is paid \$2 per day and expenses when employed by the Directors in the duties of his office. The amount paid the General agent the past year is \$69 24.

Amount paid other Agents for adjusting losses the past

year is \$25 50.

The company paid their Agents 10 per cent. for collect-

ing assessments.

Aggregate amount paid Agents for collecting assessments, \$446 01.

Amount insured for three years prior to 1850:

In 1849,	\$801,971 00
In 1850,	838,505 00
In 1851,	877,566 00
Total,	\$2,517,042 00

Amount premium notes for three years prior to 1852:

In 1849,		\$40,083 80
111 1010,		
In 1850,		41,737 35
III TOOU,		

In 1851,	43,834 30
Total,	\$125,655 45
Amount of property at risk in the State,	\$1,098,759 00 2,542,102 00
	\$3,640,861 00
Amount premium notes in the State,	\$52,073 84 122,662 55
	\$174,836 39
Amount losses in the State for three years	
In 1849, In 1850,	\$94 00 50 00
In 1851,	\$2,000 00
of the disease transmit was Park (17).	\$2,150 00
Amount of losses out of the State for th years prior to 1852:	ree
In 1849, \$597	76
In 1850, In 1851, 2,420 1,548	
Laurence and Laure	4,566 31
Total losses for three years prior to 1852,	\$6,716 31
Sum assessed on premium notes in the State,	\$1,745 47 4,096 53
	\$5,842 00
Amount collected on assessment in the State,	\$1,625 53 2,834 56
Amount collected,	\$4,460 09
Amount paid on losses in the State for thr to 1852:	ee years prior
In 1849,	\$94 00

In 1850, In 1851,	50 00 2,006 00
	\$2,150 00
Amount paid on losses out of the State for three years prior to 1852:	
In 1849, \$597.76 In 1850. \$2,420.05	
In 1850, In 1851, 2,420 05 1,548 50	4,566 31
Total amount paid on losses,	\$6,716 31
The expenses of the company the past year,	\$1,264 74
The Treasurer's bond is \$10,000.	

NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL, Concord, Jan. 31, 1852.

Organized in January, 1846.

Names of Directors—Seth Eastman, William Prescott, Joseph Low, Abraham J. Prescott and John P. Johnson. Seth Eastman is the President, Amos Hadley, Secretary, and John Whipple, Treasurer.

Amount of property at risk, Jan. 1, 1852, \$1,6	99,495 00
premium notes,	71,242 42
" losses from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1,	
1852	27,776 62
Sum assessed in 1851.	33,138 30
Indebtedness, Jan. 1, 1852,	32,290 00
In addition to the above amount of indebted-	
ness, there are claims against the company	
not acknowledged as debts, which are termed contingent liabilities, amounting to	21,533 00

Means.

Due on assessments, \$32,200 93 a portion of which is undoubtedly uncollect-

able. It would be impossible to make such an estimate as would be correct of that portion that may be available.

Available funds in hands of Secretary,

857 45

Since May 27, 1851, the President receives no salary. He is allowed only for his services as Director.

The salary of the President, for the year ending May 27,

1851, was \$250.

The salary of the Secretary is \$600 per annum, and no emoluments. Prior to March 1, 1851, the salary of the Secretary was \$700 per annum.

Salary of the Treasurer, \$500 per annum.

Each Director receives \$1 for each meeting of the board, at which he is present. Two of the Directors, at least, are required to sign each application upon which a policy is to be issued, for which he is allowed 10 cents.

While abroad visiting the places of fires, and adjusting

losses, they are allowed \$2 per day and expenses.

From Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, they have received the following sums for their services:

Seth Eastman— Approving applications and attending Directors'	#116 OG
meetings,	\$116 96 12 00
Services about office,	
Examining losses,	163 25
Expenses about same,	365 98
Wm. Prescott— Approving applications and attending Directors' meetings, Services making N. Y. and Mass. reports, Examining losses, Expenses examining losses,	\$119 02 6 75 53 00 75 77
Joseph French—	
Approving applications, attending Directors' meet-	
ings, appointing Agents, and soliciting appli-	
cations,	\$83 50
Examining losses,	38 50
Expenses while examining losses,	49 10

Nathaniel Evans— Approving applications and attending Directors' meetings,	sid.	
Services and expenses examining losses,	\$63	02 00
A. J. Prescott— Approving applications and attending Directors'	40	00
meetings,	\$8	30
J. P. Johnson— Attendance at Directors' meetings,	\$9	00
Joseph Low—		
Approving applications and attending Directors'		
meetings,	\$5	
Services and expenses adjusting losses,	373	12

Two of the Directors, J. French and N. Evans, resigned their offices during the last fiscal year of the company, and Joseph Low and A. J. Prescott were elected to fill the vacancies.

The whole amount each individual officer received for his services from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, is as follows, viz:

Secretary,	\$643 13
Treasurer,	584 26
Seth Eastman,	653 19
W. Prescott,	254 54
J. French,	181 10
N. Evans,	109 02
A. J. Prescott,	8 30
J. P. Johnson,	9 00
Joseph Low,	378 72
Expense of adjusting losses the past year,	\$1,163 72

The sum paid or allowed for adjusting losses is \$2 per day

and expenses while attending to the same.

The company pay their Agents \$1 for each application approved; and on short time policies, in which case a small note is taken and an advance payment made as in stock companies. The Agent is allowed \$1 for the application, and 10 per cent. on the advance payment. Agents are allowed from 5 to 10 per cent. commissions for collecting assessments.

The aggregate amount allowed Agents for collecting assessments from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, is \$2,514 88

Amount of property at risk, Jan. 1, 1852—
In the State, \$250,012 01
0ut of the State, 1,449,482 99

Amount of premium notes, Jan. 1, 1852—
In the State, \$24,188 93
Out of the State, 147,053 49

Amount of losses from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852—
In the State, \$6,757 37
Out of the State, 23,019 25

Sum assessed on premium notes in 1851—
In the State,
Out of the State,
\$3,609 40
29,528 90

The cash premium is \$2 10 on every \$100 of the amount insured, except on dwelling-houses, their usual contents and attachments, on which it is \$2 on every \$100 insured.

Expenses from Jan. 1, 1851, to Jan. 1, 1852, other than for assessments and payment of losses, \$2,016 14

The value of property to be insured is fixed by the applicant, who is held responsible for the correctness of the

representations he sets forth in his application.

The average rate per cent. cost of insurance per annum on \$1000, since the company has been doing business, as near as can be ascertained, by taking the present rate of insurance and the average rate of assessments as the basis of calculation, has been—

On Farm risks, $\frac{1}{5}$ of 1 per cent., or about \$2 on \$1000. "Mercantile, $\frac{3}{5}$ " " 6 " On Hazardous risks, $2\frac{1}{6}$ per cent., or about $$20\frac{62}{100}$ on \$1000. "Extra " $4\frac{1}{12}$ " " $48\frac{12}{100}$ "

Treasurer's bond, \$10,000.

ROCKINGHAM MUTUAL, Exeter.—Feb. 7, 1852.

Organized in 1832.

Amount of property at riek

The Directors are—Moses Sanborn, John S. Wells, S. W. Dearborn, George W. Kittredge, T. Goodwin, Chas. Conner, Nath'l Gilman, Joseph Towle, James S. Pollard, Thos. B. Parks and David French; Moses Sanborn is President, Wm. P. Moulton, Secretary, and John Tyrrell, Treasurer.

Amount of property at risk,	\$1,581,199 66
" premium notes,	148,319 12
" losses for the year ending July 1,	
1851,	14,052 57
Sum assessed,	23,169 16
	20,103 10
Liabilities,	\$12,470 43
Means.	September 1989I
Assessments considered available, \$4,959	93
Cash on hand, 3,264	
The second to smooth the business arm on	- 8,224 70
	0,22110
Indebtedness, Jan. 1, 1852,	\$4,245 73
-called voluments and visiting to	φ1,210 10
The salary of the President per annum is	\$50 00
" Secretary "	200 00
" Treasurer "	300 00

One Clerk is employed in the office at a salary of \$300 per annum. All other Clerk hire is very trifling.

The Directors receive fifty cents for meeting, and usually meet once a week. The officers of the company receive no other emolument.

The amount received by each individual officer for their

services for the fiscal year ending August, 1851, is as follows, viz:

John Sanborn, in full for his services as Presi-		
dent and Director,	\$112	50
Nathaniel Gilman, and add as a second more as a second	19	00
Charles Conner,	26	00
Theophilus Goodwin,	26	00
John S. Wells,	16	00
Stephen W. Dearborn,	22	50
Thomas B. Parks,	14	63
Joseph Towle,	22	00
David French,	3	75
George W. Kittredge,	6	25
J. S. Pollard,	5	16
Total received by Directors,	\$273	79
Secretary, I. L. Folsom,	\$200	00
Treasurer, Jeremiah Dearborn, and Treasurer pro	47.500	
tem. Wm. P. Moulton—salary of both,	300	00

The usual price paid Directors or others for adjusting losses is \$2 per day and expenses while attending to the same.

Total amount paid for adjusting losses from July, 1850, to July, 1851, the last fiscal year of the company, is \$180.75

The company pay their Agents for each application approved, \$1.

Five per cent. commission only is paid for collecting assessments, except in extraordinary cases, in which a small additional sum is paid.

The aggregate amount paid agents for collecting assessments for the year ending July, 1851, it is believed will not

vary much from \$1118 41.

The value of property to be insured is inserted in the application signed by the insured, who is held responsible for its correctness; the Directors claiming the liberty of reducing the same if in their opinion it is over-estimated.

The amount of property insured in the State

since Jan. 1, 1849, is Amount out of the State for the same time,	\$283,278 00 637,929 00
Total amount insured since Jan. 1, 1849,	\$921,207 00
The amount of premium notes in the State, since Jan. 1, 1849, is Amount out of the State, same time,	\$27,219 09 64,690 23
Total amount premium notes since Jan. 1, 1849	, \$91,909 32
The amount of losses in the State for three Jan. 1, 1852, is as follows, viz:	years prior to
In 1849, " 1850, " 1851,	\$5,019 04 5,402 64 582 00
Total losses in the State for three years prior to Jan. 1, 1852, The amount of losses out of the State for three years prior to Jan. 1, 1852, is as follows viz:	\$11,003 68
In 1849, " 1850, " 1851, \$12,531 3 11,085 2 10,152 4	3
Total losses out of the State for three years price to Jan. 1, 1852,	\$33,769 05
The street of the man of the street of the s	\$44,772 73
Amount assessed on premium notes in the Stat for three years prior to Jan. 1, 1852, Amount out of the State, same time,	e \$16,245 89 58,693 52
Sum assessed since Jan. 1, 1849, Total amount of expenses for the fiscal year ending July, 1852, other than for assessment and payment of losses, is	

\$21,346 36

Secretary's bond, \$2000. Treasurer's "\$3000.

FARMER'S MUTUAL, Gilmanton-April 16, 1852.

Organized, July, 1839.

Liabilities.

Names of Directors—Ira A. Eastman, Andrew Mack, John C. Bean, Alfred Prescott, Moses Price, Sylvester H. French, John Jones, Lyman B. Fellows, Joseph B. Durrell, Simeon Copp, George W. Moody, O. A. J. Vaughan, John K. Woodman, Charles E. Nelson, Charles Gilman, Orrin Folsom, James Gordon, John Fox, Jacob A. Potter, Benjamin A. Rogers, Samuel G. Kelley, Seth Shackford, Charles Shapleigh, Job Otis, George McDaniel, Alanson Folsom, Timothy Cook, Joseph Elliot, Benjamin Cate, Morrill Shepard. Ira A. Eastman is President; J. J. Bean, Secretary; Alfred Prescott, Treasurer; and O. A. J. Vaughan, Directors' Clerk.

	perty at risk, Jan. 4, 1852,	\$12,092,123 75
" pre	emium notes, " "	622,862 95
" los	ses for the year 1851,	16,536 59
Sums assessed,		26,461 01
Amount of loss	ses from June 3, 1851, to	Jan.
5, 1852,	IN THE STATE OF TH	11,981 04
No assessme 1850.	nts were made for the lo	osses of 1849 and

Means.

Due on assessments,	\$13,112 02	
Money in Treasurer's hands, Due on cash premiums,	618 38 3,795 06	
Total means,	anni desa	17,525 46
Indebtedness,	ence floored to the	\$3,820 90

The President receives one dollar per hundred for signing

policies; and the same pay as a Director when he attends

the monthly meetings of the Directors.

The Secretary receives fifty cents for each policy issued. He pays all his Clerk hire, office rent, fire wood, lights, stationery, and other incidental expenses.

Amount paid Clerk for making assessment the past year is

\$253 08.

The Treasurer receives 3 of one per cent, on all moneys

received and paid out.

The Directors receive one dollar per day each, while employed at the office, and eight cents per mile for travel one way.

The whole amount each individual officer has received for his services the past year is as follows, viz:

Ira A. Eastman,	\$54 38
John C. Bean,	47 54
Alfred Prescott,	322 03
John Jones,	45 68
Joseph B. Durrell,	9 36
George W. Moody,	15 20
John K. Woodman,	3 96
Charles Gilman,	226 06
James Gordon,	188 97
Jacob A. Potter,	26 50
Samuel G. Kelley,	19 00
Charles Shapleigh,	48 20
Andrew Mack,	39 29
Moses Price,	39 98
Sylvester H. French,	38 91
Lyman B. Fellows,	55 80
Simeon Copp,	9 96
O. A. J. Vaughan,	48 92
Charles E. Nelson,	7 82
Orrin Folsom,	478 52
John Fox,	226 62
Benjamin A. Rogers,	1 50
Seth Shackford,	31 06
Job Otis,	25 24
George McDaniel,	18 40
Timothy Cook,	38 24
Benjamin Cate,	9 36

Appendix.

Alanson Folsom, 183 70
Joseph Elliott, 171 52
Morrill Shepard, Sec'y last year, 2,089 00

Ninety dollars was paid Alfred Prescott for making an assessment last year, which sum is included in the amount paid said Prescott, as above.

Amount paid Directors' Clerk the past year, \$11 09. Amount paid for adjusting losses from Jan. 4, 1851, to

Jan 5, 1852, \$131 26.

The usual price paid Directors and Agents for adjusting losses is one dollar per day, eight cents per mile travel, and expenses while attending to the same.

Fifty cents is paid for each application upon which a pol-

icy is issued.

The company allow 5 per cent. commission for collecting assessments. More is sometimes paid when the assessments in towns are small.

Total amount paid for collecting assessments from Jan. 4,

1851, to Jan. 5, 1852, is \$117 49.

The value of property to be insured is fixed, either by the applicant, the Agent, or by the Directors.

The amount of property at risk in the State

since Jan. 4, 1846, to Jan. 5, 1852, is, \$8,346,542 75 Amount out of the State for the same time is, 3,745,581 00 Amount of premium notes in the State since

Jan. 4, 1846, to Jan. 5, 1852, is,

Amount out of the State for the same time,

429,928 80
192,934 15

Amount of losses in the State since Sept. 6, 1848, to Jan. 5, 1852, is as follows, viz.:—

In	1848.	\$2,675	62
66	1849,	5,893	47
66	1850,	4,813	17
	1851,	12,633	44

Amount of losses out of the State since Sept. 6, 1848, to Jan. 5, 1852:—

	W + 0 P P O
In 1848,	\$107 70
" 1849,	353 13
" 1850,	1,935 17
" 1851,	3,903 15

Amount of assessments on premium notes in the State, from Sept. 6, 1848, to Jan. 3, 1851, \$18,971 01 Out of the State for the same time, 7,490 00

The average rate per cent. assessed was 1½ per cent. a year for the first three years; about 17 mills per cent. a year for the second term of three years, and about 18 mills per cent. a year for the third and fourth terms of 3 years on premium notes, and averaging less than one mill per cent. on a dollar per year on the amount insured.

The company has never required their Treasurer to give bonds.

It has been deemed advisable to take tabular statements of each company, in order the more fully to represent the business of each, which are also herewith submitted.

CHARLES F. BROOKS, Ins. Commissioner.

STATEMENT OF THE PORTSMOUTH MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.-COMMENCED OPERATIONS SEPTEMBER, 1839.

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mium notes.	95 8	37 2	9 84	31 2	38 7	31 5	98 9	10 7	9 91	36 3	9 90	52 7	5 5
Amount of pre-	6,0	8,9	2,1	1,5	9,9	2,3	6,59	0,64	0,84	4,06	3,00	20,352	9,55
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	91	90	69	21	72	92	96	82	12	50	98	239,230	11
Amount insur'd.	8,49	18,2	59,5	8,73	54.5	3,9	3,9	2,6	2.8	2,3	8,5	9,5	8,1
	\$16	51	9	55	45	51	55	19	53	35	26	23	22
No. policies.	1	6	10	80	37	80	8	4	1	1	3	4	0
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Years.	339	340	341	342	343	344	345	346	347	348	349	1850	351
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President's salary and all emoluments, nothing.

Directors' salary and all emoluments, nothing.

Secretary and Treasurer's salary and all emoluments, \$600.

Total amount paid Agents, \$529 88.

Books, stationery, postage and printing, \$138 74. All other incidental expenses, \$763 60.

Total amount of receipts, \$12,277 39.
Total amount of disbursements, \$8,477 39.

The cost to insure \$100 depends on the rate the \$100 is taken.

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STATEMENT OF THE EQUITABLE MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF CONCORD, NEW HAMPSHIRE, JANUARY 1, 1852.

Amount paid for losses.	\$25 1,300 691 2,470
Amount due on assess- ments.	\$1,381 91
Amount collected on as- sessments.	\$4,460 09
Amount of assessments.	\$5,842 00
Rate assessed.	From 7½ per cent. to 850 9 mills.
Date of assessment.	Nov. 13, 1
Amount of losses.	\$25 00 1,300 92 691 76 2,470 05 3,554 50
Amount of eash promi- ums.	\$1,744 51 2,143 35 1,813 85 1,936 90 2,062 60
Amount of premium notes.	\$20,030 60 41,791 83 40,083 80 41,737 35 43,834 30
.bəxusni insunA	\$693,969 00 905,223 00 801,971 00 838,505 00 877,566 00
No. of policies.	17 1032 18 1235 19 1016 50 1102 51 1185
Years.	1846 and 1847 1848 1849 1850 1851

EQUITABLE MUTUAL—Concluded.

Cost of insurance per an- num on \$100.	\ \ \ 8 \ \cents. \ 3 \ \cents. \ 7 \ \cents. \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \
Total amount of disburse-	\$1,576 17 2,710 65 2,576 30 3,711 59
Total amount of receipts.	\$1,670 34 2,742 81 2,772 71 3,757 92
Other incidental expenses.	\$252.04 117.28 114.71 146.10
Books, stationery, postage and printing.	\$176 37 116 03 85 50 124 27
.estnegA bisq smoms lasoT	\$774 00 617 50 762 00 551 00
Treasurer's salary and all other emoluments.	\$250 00
Secretary's salary and all other emoluments.	\$670 00 693 50 493 00 645 50
Directors' salary and all other emoluments.	\$242 35 273 34 203 68 264 00
President's salary and all other emoluments.	\$70 64 74 70 70 32 72 04
Amount of indebtedness.	\$3,960 00
Years.	1846 and 1847 1848 1849 1850 1851

A STATEMENT OF THE AFFAIRS AND CONDITION OF THE NEW ENGLAND MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, FROM JANUARY 12, 1846, TO MAY 27, 1851.

Amount paid on losses.	\$15,445 55	55,560 39	41,990 79	46,809 09	38,529 47	
Amount due on assessments.	\$108 38	418 94	5,795 82	10,494 26	14,122 44	30,986 68
Amount collected on assess- ments.	\$23,689 84	38,411 36	47,789 18	37,505 74	21,171 32	2,151 62
Amount of assessments.	\$23,798 22	38,830 30	53,585 00	48,000 00	35,293 76	33,138 30
Rate assessed.	10	10	$13\frac{1}{2}$	91	11	91
		1848.	1848.	1849.	1850.	1851.
Date of assessment.	April 5,	June 12,	Nov. 15,	July 15,	May 15,	April 1, 1851.16
Amount of losses.	\$32,055 22	56,858 20 June 12, 1848.	49,132 93 Nov. 15, 1848. 13½	45,215 35 July 15, 1849.16	29,451 89 May 15, 1850. 17	tanie
Amount of eash premiums.	\$7,707 65	4,560 75	4,044 00	2,523 26	2,028 79	inge inge
Amount of premium notes.	\$414,569 88	498,766 86	323,325 80	196,601 89	213,763 01	ums e lat
Amount insured.	\$4,014,075 00 \$414,569 88 \$7,707 65 \$32,055 22 April 5, 1847.	4,597,207 00	2,809,625 00	1,738,823 00	1,804,075 67	aning aning
No. of policies.	3957	1029	6549	7294	8468	mae
J.S.		1848, 5701	1849, 6249	1850, 7294	1851.8468	
Years	May 25, 1847.					

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Cost per cent. of insurance on \$100.	99 3-5 of 1 per cent.		203-4 "	28 15-16 "	37 1 1-3 per cent.	,, 6-8 1 60	1 5-6 "
ears am't of disbursements	\$19,615 99		61,438	55,523	53,976	39,968	
Total amount of receipts.	\$20,116 60		63,057 26	60,817 20	59,244 24	40,718 99	P
Amount paid for all other incidental expenses.	\$436 71	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	154 29	116 28	190 01	164 04	
Amount paid for books, sta- tionery, postage and print- ing.	\$505 58	2000	307 02	266 55	370 55	377 88	
Total amount paid Agents.	#9500 08	\$2000 \$42000	1272 47	2644 90	2384 26	2803 13	
Treasurer's salary and all emoluments.	00000	₩400 00	400 00	525 00	200 00	500 00	
Secretary's salary and all emoluments.	0000	00 008\$	800 00	500 00	00 009	00 009	
Amount paid to Directors.		\$984 20	573 82				
resident's salary and all emoluments.	ı	Sala., \$150 00	Sala., 250 (Emol., 135 (Sala., 450 (Emol., 314 Sala., 275	Emol., 218 00	1
Amount of liabilities or indebtedness.				100,11	24,343	10.978	13,410
ears.	X	1847		1848	1849	1651	1001

Appendix.

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22,181 84 \$19,543 10 STATEMENT OF THE ROCKINGHAM MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, EXETER, N. H., JAN. 1, 1852. losses. tof bisq 1'mA \$3,460 86 06 99 99 98 98 98 98 4,774 2,949 11,993 35,722 1,000 4,500 20,215 11,515 6 assessments. Amount due on \$16,984 59 23,485 89 8,791 77 2,638 41 14,269 05 32,560 10 31,153 65 21,837 90 27,393 15 27,441 07 22,368 18 ments. 8,791 ed on assess-Amount collect-\$2,740 35 17,705 10 24,789 09 11,198 69 34 70 80 90 73 32 16 sessments. 14,086 39,595 36,761 8 37,300 21,080 30,694 23,169 -as do annomA 69 8 Rate assessed. 4118 0100 April 26, 1836. October, 1839. Nov. 14, 1842. Oct. 1, 1841. ment. May 6. May 26. Aug. 17. Date of assess-Feb. 3. Feb. 4. Feb. 4. 40,725 62 7,320 35 11,711 82 27,648 30 41,184 09 23,358 81 12,074 67 11,876 66 55 66 84 57 55 \$21,547 22,181 Am't of losses. 4,508 80 1,952 01 3,767 25 5,532 30 3,466 21 3,068 57 1,502 85 1,359 56 949 25 442 99 \$19,065 71 3,466 3,068 1,502 1,359 975 949 premiums. Amount of cash \$496,129 49 120,551 29 55,098 82 104,868 91 1155,675 39 98,448 48 87,129 13 42,569 42 28,559 87 27,402 21 26,955 67 12,498 35 um notes. Amount premi-1,611,805 00 684,937 00 1,279,490 73 1,735,033 50 1,007,685 16 914,566 00 458,775 00 379,697 66 \$7,610,680 50 888 273,737 268,340 129,850 Am't insured. .851, Dec. 31 Years. 1832-40 841-2 1847 1848 1849 1844 1845 1846

ROCKINGHAM MUTUAL—Concluded.

Cost per cent. of insurance on \$100.	7481 001-9 001-9 001-7274-01-8
Total amount of disbursements per table.	\$37,508 14 30,179 64 10,433 85 15,427 95 33,406 27 46,989 04 27,287 87 41,112 32 17,833 82 26,924 75 16,790 31
Total amount of receipts, per table.	\$36,050 30 27,394 69 10,743 78 6,405 66 19,801 35 36,026 31 34,222 22 23,340 75 28,752 71 28,752 71 28,16 76
Other inciden- tal expenses.	\$232 30 331 75 424 89 625 88 1,711 01 1,309 99 234 66 415 415 2,006 48 1,571 15 248 78
Books, statione- ry, postage and printing.	\$725 55 114 37 77 31 343 96 516 02 344 75 257 25 167 18 254 89 85 74 86 17
Total amount paid Agents.	\$5,318 73 807 43 807 43 1,022 85 1,836 41 2,545 02 1,927 83 1,654 47 2,608 79 2,188 44 1,629 00
Treasurer's sal-	\$1,186 74 1,645 30 500 00 500 00 500 00 500 00 500 00 500 00 500 00 500 00 500 00
Secretary's sal-	\$\$,360 00 \$\$6 78 \$600 00 \$00 00 \$00 00 \$00 00 \$00 00 \$00 00 \$00 00 \$00 00
Directors' sala-	\$1,981 75 2,334 08 573 58 673 58 6594 53 505 19 409 32 289 00 297 58 273 79
President's sal-	\$159.97
Amount of in- debtedness or liabilities.	\$812 64 22,807 41 3,533 87 10,770 19 38,040 38 32,204 66 33,779 66 33,779 66 33,439 83 23,380 62 26,691 56 16,350 00
Years.	1832-40 1841-2 1843-1844 1845 1846 1846 1847 1847 1848 1849 1850

Received on discharged notes, 1839 to 1842, \$958 42; 1843, \$148 99; 1844, \$323 47; 1845, \$702 77; 1846, \$1381 99; 1847, \$1082 33; 1848, \$795 14; 1849, \$662 87; 1850, \$1178 15; 1851, \$591 79. The foregoing sums should be added to the receipts of the years specified. The President's salary for the last three years ending in July, 1851, was \$112 50 per year, which was in full for his services as President and Director, and is entered above as Directors' services. Previous to that time, it is believed that the President received no compensation for his services for several years. The foregoing table is taken principally from the annual reports of the company, and the amounts of assessments specified as due are the amounts considered available.

TABULAR STATEMENT OF THE FARMERS' MUTUAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.—ORGANIZED 1839.

Amount due on assess-	\$4,505 16 836 79 695 80 11,365 56 2,719 67 1,774 32 20,250 20 3,384 25 1,916 95 13,112 02
Amount collected on assessments.	\$3,668 37 140 99 31 140 99 31 545 89 945 89 607 74 16,865 95 1,467 90 15,265 94
Am'nt of assessments.	\$4,505 16 11,001 73 19,083 62 26,461 01
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REPORTS

OF THE WARDEN, PHYSICIAN AND CHAPLAIN OF THE N. H. STATE PRISON.

WARDEN'S REPORT.

To the Hon. General Court, June Session, 1852:

The Warden of the State Prison respectfully renders the following account of the receipts and income, expenses and disbursements, of the Institution, the number of convicts in confinement, with a general statement of its affairs, together with the reports of the Physician and Chaplain:

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The foregoing tables show the condition of the finances and other affairs of the Institution for the last political year, which from its annual requirement is more a matter of form than of interest or instruction.

This Institution, in common with the business community throughout the country, has seriously felt in its operations during the past year the effects of the unusual depressed state of money matters, and the great reduction in the rewards of labor—particularly mechanical labor—and the increase in the price of provisions and necessaries of all kinds.

It will readily be perceived, when taking into consideration the fact that the mechanic arts constitute almost the only business in which, from our peculiar situation, we can advantageously employ the labor of the convicts, that the fluctuations and embarrassments in the different branches of trade are sooner and more seriously felt here than elsewhere. Yet, notwithstanding the disadvantages we have labored under during the past year, from the above mentioned causes, I must say that I have realized my most sanguine expectations, in being able to report to you at this time so favorable a statement of the finances of the Institution.

The land in rear of the Prison, purchased a few years since, to be cultivated by Prison labor, was sold at auction in August last, agreeably to a resolution of the Legislature of 1851, authorizing me to sell the same, for \$825, which sum has been expended in building a new shop in the Prison yard, 66 feet long by 30 feet wide, now occupied as a shoe shop, wash house and tailor shop, by which arrangement the evil of working too many men in a small room, referred to in my report of last year, has been remedied, while it has enabled us to add that part of the old shop formerly occupied by the shoemakers, to the cabinet shop, thus rendering the latter more airy, spacious and healthful. An addition of 18 feet in length has been made to the smith shop, and occupied as a show-room and iron store, and deposit for ashes, has been built of brick-both of which alterations add very much to our convenience as well as security. new tailor's shop, before referred to, is located in the attic of the new shop, under which, in the lower story, is the washroom, furnished with two new boilers of 100 gallons each, and having a brick floor so laid that all the rinsings and waste water run from it into the common sewer, while an aqueduct has been laid from the well to the wash-room, and a new pump set up, bringing the water directly into the boil-An additional pump has likewise been set up in the engine-room, by which the boiler in that room is directly supplied with water.

The conveniences afforded by this new building are numerous, particularly in the shoe shop, the commodious arrangements and neatness of which are rarely excelled. The old and dilapidated building, occupied as a store-house for the cabinet shop, in addition to the extremely awkward and discommodious position which it occupies in the Prison yard, is in a very ruinous state, and not capable of any advantageous or economical repairs. The old Prison now occupied only as a store-house, could be easily converted into a work shop, affording numerous advantages, a few of the most prominent of which are, that it would be fire-proof, and in full view of the officer in the guard room at all times, while at the same time the expense of the alteration could be nearly paid from the proceeds of the sale of stone now comprising the cells in the building. Perhaps it might be more ad-

vantageously used by being converted into a suitable place

for the confinement of the female convicts.

In my report of last year, I took occasion to call attention to the urgent necessity which existed for some different arrangement with respect to these convicts. The same necessity now exists and to a greater degree, inasmuch as the number since then has been materially increased, and of course the anxiety and annoyance of being compelled to receive into the family and at the table, these persons, have been correspondingly increased. The suggestion that their safe custody was not to be relied upon, was recently shown to be well founded, by the escape of one of them, which she effected from her sleeping room in the attic, without the aid of any other instrument than that of a common pocket knife. Through the faithfulness of another female convict, who took the earliest opportunity to inform me of her escape, she was retaken, after having succeeded in reaching the cars in season for the early train. I mention this instance as showing the great insecurity of the present mode and place for the confinement of this class of convicts. I trust this subject will receive the consideration its urgency and importance demands.

There are very many other repairs in and about the Prison much called for. The fence and watch boxes have received but slight repairs for several years, and a thorough repair of them is greatly needed. The roof of the main house and that of the south wing of the Prison are in a bad state of repair, and good economy requires that they should

be repaired the present season.

The probability that the boiler to which I alluded in my report of last year, will continue fit for use another year, or even a month, is very uncertain. I can but urge again the advantage of supplying it with soft water when it can be done at so trifling an expense, and when it will be so amply repaid in the greater durability of a boiler supplied with soft water over one supplied with hard water.

Great advantage has been derived this year over last year, by having ready money to purchase all necessary articles for the use of the institution. It is important that a sufficient amount of money should at all times be at command to meet

any emergency that would be likely to occur.

The committee appointed by the Governor and Council,

agreeably to a resolution of the Legislature, July 5, 1851, to investigate the claims against the Prison, which accrued prior to July, 1851, reported: that there was due to several individuals therein named, the sum of \$1,755 45. An appropriation of \$1500 was made by the Legislature of 1851, for the payment of such debts as should be found due from the Prison by the aforesaid committee, which sum I have paid agreeably to said report, leaving several demands that were last presented unpaid, amounting to \$255 45.

The suit commenced for the infringement of a patent in selling some scales, which were appraised to me as the property of the State, when I entered upon the duties of my office at the Prison, is in charge of Hon. Ichabod Bartlett, in conformity with a resolution of the Legislature of 1851, au-

thorizing me to employ counsel in the case.

The free use of the pardoning power is, in my judgment, detrimental to good order and discipline. The frequent visits from friends and relatives of convicts, who are constantly telling them how much is being done for their relief, and who they have engaged for counsel to advocate their pardon, and the large number who annually receive pardon, has created in the minds of most of them the idea that they are suffering too severely for the offence they have committed, and that justice has been outraged by their confinement. With such feelings it is hard for them to yield to the rules and discipline required in an institution like this. Since 1840, two hundred and eighty-four have gone out of this Prison, one hundred and forty-two of whom were pardon-The number of deaths among the convicts has been greater during the past year than during the previous year, although the amount of sickness has not been increased, as will be seen by the report of the Physician.

The accommodations for the sick, so far as a good hospital, kind nurses, and an attentive Physician, ever prompt in the discharge of every duty are desirable, leave nothing which could be changed for the better in this department, to render the condition of the inmates more comfortable.

The Chaplain, in the discharge of his duties, has shown himself at all times the same kind hearted and attentive friend and adviser of the unfortunate convict.

RUFUS DOW, Warden.

New Hampshire State Prison, May 31, 1852.

PHYSICIAN'S REPORT.

To His Excellency the Governor and the Hon. Council:

Gentlemen—As another political or civil year has closed, the undersigned is admonished that duty requires of him an exhibition of the condition of the health of the convicts of the State Prison during the past year. He regrets that deaths, to the number of six, have occurred in the Prison during that period; a number much larger than in any previous year during his connection with the Institution. As these deaths have occurred, notwithstanding the amount of sickness from acute diseases has been less than usual, some explanation, exhibiting the cause of such apparent discrepancy, may be deemed important.

This, it is apprehended, can be best done, to the understanding and satisfaction of the Board of Directors and all concerned, by giving a condensed history of each fatal case

separately.

1. The first case that proved fatal, was that of Parker Paul, a colored convict, 29 years of age, who died of consumption on the 10th of June. He had been suffering for several months with cough and pulmonic disturbance, some of the time able to work, at other times not. For several weeks previous to his death, he was confined to the hospital. The disease proved obstinate, and refused to yield to the effect of medicine or applications. At length he sank under the weight of accumulated disease.

2. The second case was that of Daniel A. Green, aged 25 years. He had exhibited symptoms of insanity for some time. He eventually became languid, feeble and listless, and (rapidly declining,) he died on the 25th of August, evidently a victim to the direful effects of that solitary vice,

masturbation.

3. The next case was that of Dudley P. Rand, aged 21. He died on the 4th of September, of malignant diarrhea. That troublesome affection, usually denominated Bilious Diarrhea, prevailed to a considerable extent during the latter part of Summer and early Autumn.

The case of Rand, after the first few days, assumed a formidable and even an inveterate aspect, and was found to be uncontrollable. Tenderness of the abdomen, accompanied the other severe symptoms, and inflammation of the organs within became apparent.

It was difficult to account for the unusual severity of this case, except by supposing that some irritating substance had been taken into the stomach, as was done, as we shall see,

in the next case.

4. Bradbury Curtis, aged 47, died on the 12th of September, after an illness of about three weeks. He, too, was attacked with Bilious Diarrhæa, which proved obstinate, but which, nevertheless, for a while yielded to treatment, and he appeared better. But a sudden and unaccountable relapse took place, accompanied by a severe inflammation of the abdominal viscera, soreness, &c., which advanced with rapid strides in spite of every effort to save and rescue from death.

After his death it was reported by a fellow prisoner, and without doubt correctly, that he was in the habit of eating lime, old plastering, &c. If that be a fact, no Physiologist will be at a loss for ample cause of disease and death.

It is altogether probable that the death of Rand was pro-

duced by similar means.

5. William Smith, aged 25, a young man of gigantic size and herculean strength, being six feet eight inches in height, and weighing 275 pounds, was affected with an enlargement of the heart (Hypertrophy) when he entered the Prison.—He often complained of uneasiness and at times of much

distress in the region of the heart.

I was called to see him in his last sickness, about the 20th of December. He was laboring under an attack of the influenza, then prevailing in the Prison. His disease, however, soon assumed the form of inflammation of the lungs, (Pneumonitis) which yielded to appropriate remedies. Although the attack was of considerable severity, yet no danger was apprehended, and no cause of alarm could be seen. He was seen on the 29th as usual, and he appeared as well as at any former visit, yet within 4 or 6 hours afterwards, he died instantly, and without exhibiting any premonition of such an event. It is well known that in most affections of the heart, death occurs in this sudden manner, and in this case there can be no reasonable doubt that death was pro-

duced by the heart disease, although it was doubless aggravated by the inflammatory nature of the disease under which

he labored.

6. The sixth fatal case was that of Joseph Adams, aged 41, who died January 22d, of an affection of the lungs.—Some two years previous he had a very severe pulmonary attack, which proved obstinate and protracted, and he appeared rapidly declining, when recourse was had to Cod Liver Oil, which had a most salutary and desirable effect. He gradually recovered, and had but little or no trouble from the pulmonic affection, with the exception of occasional cough. On the tenth of January he was seen, and manifested the usual symptoms of influenza, which exhibited nothing serious or unusual for a few days. But eventually it assumed a formidable and alarming aspect, all remedies failed in their wonted and desired effects, and he died from a congestion of the lungs.

A debilitated state of the lungs, a sequel of a former disease, doubtless had much to do in bringing about the fatal

result in this case.

I think it may be assumed as a reason for the increased number of deaths the past year, that it so happened that most of them had been debilitated by former disease.

As before stated, there was less general disease, (that is,) less of cholera morbus, dysentery, and typhoid fever, during the Summer and Autumn than for the two preceding years. Yet there was much of the bilious diarrhœa, and

some of the cases were extremely obstinate.

The influenza was rife during the first Winter months, many cases of which proved very tedious and protracted, accompanied with a hard and harassing cough. This disease caused the death of two convicts, in consequence of

laboring under the effect of former disease.

Local inflammation, terminating in extremely painful and troublesome abscesses of the hands and fingers, prevailed during Winter. There has also been a good share of those nameless affections and complaints arising from the disturbance of the digestive and nervous systems. Neither has there been wanting the usual number of invalids, suffering more or less by a variety of affections, chiefly the effects of former dissipation and vice.

The undersigned has also to report a most cool-blooded

and daring act of self-mutilation, committed by a convict by the name of Harvey Scott, on the third day of January. With a razor, he deliberately severed the muscles, arteries, veins and nerves on the anterior part of the arm, a little above the elbow, and about one-fourth of an inch below the bifurcation of the brachial or main artery of the arm, cutting smoothly down to the bone. He then, with one effectual draw or gash of the razor, separated the integuments, muscles, &c., on the posterior portion, about two inches above the Olecranon Process, partially dividing the tendon that is inserted into it.

The two incisions were made to pass each other on the inner or under part of the arm, one being about half an inch below the other. On the outer or upper part of the arm there was a space of about an inch that the skin and the parts beneath were left entire. Through this space, all the circulation and sensation communicated to the limb below must pass, consequently the circulation of the blood was small for some time, and the arm pale, tumid and cold. For several days there was no sensation below one or two inches from the wound, but this gradually extended down the limb, so that at the end of eight or ten weeks, sensation had reached the wrist.

Dr. Gage was called in to assist in dressing the wound. The wound soon assumed an unfavorable appearance. A copious discharge of a bloody sanies, the dark color of the parts and a putrid scent were prominent symptoms for several days, but by a liberal use of tonics and stimulants, both internally and externally, together with good care and cleanliness, a more healthy action was produced. The secretion of healthy pus, the shooting out of new granulations, and a more natural color of the parts, indicated that a better state of things was taking place.

At the end of a few weeks, the wound was completely healed, and the increased force which he is, from time to time, able to exert, indicates that the divided muscles are again united, and preparing for the performance of their natural functions. Sensation is quite natural at the wrist, and has reached the ends of the fingers, although in a less degree. The tumefaction of the limb has subsided, and it is

assuming a natural appearance.

While the limb was insensible, a severe burn was received

on the back of the hand and fingers, which threatened a worse fate than even the wound at the elbow. That he declared to be accidental, having been produced by unconsciously holding the hand too near the stove while busily engaged. It soon became livid and purple, and great fear and apprehension of mortification was entertained. But that calamity was prevented by vigilant application of appropriate remedies, and the burn eventually, although slowly, healed. The only reason he offered for the above rash act was, "for the purpose of getting rid of labor;" that he "did not feel well;" that "his work was hard;" that "he had done

enough," &c.

About one year before this, the same convict, with a single blow of a hatchet, severed the thumb from its connection with the first or metacarpal bone, at the joint. There being no integuments, by which the cartilaginous extremity of the bone could be covered, it was left to be covered by the slow process of new granulations; consequently, he was confined for a long time. This was supposed at the time to have been purely accidental, but he afterward confessed it to have been done by design, and for the purpose of avoiding labor. It can hardly be considered expedient or safe to suffer a person so reckless to mingle with the other prisoners, or to be placed within the reach of deadly weapons; for if he could be induced to commit such rash and inhuman acts upon his own person from so trivial a cause, what act might he not be induced to commit on another, either to gratify revenge, or from even a more trifling motive?

It was considered by many, at the time, to be presumption in the undersigned to think of saving the limb, and much speculation, and not a little censure and fault-finding, was rife at the time; but the importance of a limb, even if it should not be perfect, was considered of too much consequence to be trifled with, and an attempt to try to save it was at once decided upon, and most happily succeeded.

It may also be proper to mention the case of Doane, who applied sulphuric acid to several places on his fore-arm, for the purpose of eradicating certain figures made by India ink. When the attention of the officers of the Prison was first called to it, some of the blood vessels were eaten off, and the caustic making rapid progress. Two large ulcers were thus produced, but by the timely application of water, alkalies,

&c., its further progress was arrested. By common simple dressings it was apparently doing well, with the prospect of soon healing, but about the 21st of April it assumed a different aspect. It was seen on the 22d, when the ulcers, which were filled with granulations, (new flesh,) put on a dark livid appearance, and were surrounded by a halo of still darker hue; the arm was cold and death-like, pulse nearly natural. These alarming symptoms continued for several days, but by the free use of anti-septics, tonics, and stimulants, both internally and externally, a more healthy action and better appearance gradually took place, and by the first of May he was considered out of danger, and on the eighth returned to duty. On the 17th, however, he again came up with the arm and ulcers in a similar situation as before, but soon assumed a more formidable and alarming appearance, and advanced more rapidly to a state of gangrene. He complained at times of much distress in the region of the heart, which was accompanied with considerable nervous irritation, and agitation of the system. By the 21st, however, the symptoms became more favorable, the color and heat of the parts more natural, and the pulse and action of the heart more normal. In a few days more, a more healthy action took place, and there is now a prospect of a more speedy recovery. In fact, the parts at this time, (May 31st,) are rapidly healing, the digestion and circulation natural, and in a short time he will, in all probability, be able to resume his labor.

On the whole, the past has been a year peculiarly distinguished for anxiety, perplexity and labor on the part of the Physician to the Prison, the duties of which he has endeavored to perform with assiduity and faithfulness. In all cases great credit is due to the Warden, the Deputy Warden and nurse, for their vigilant care and attention to the wants of the sick, without which the labors and anxieties of the Physician must necessarily have been very much augmented. Great and strict atention is also paid to cleanliness, as heretofore, which forms no small item in contributing to the health of the convicts.

There is one source of embarrassment to which the Physician to the Prison is exposed, to which allusion has not hitherto been made by me. I allude to the effect of the exercise of the pardoning power. It must be admitted by all

the least conversant with the subject, that there are many cases which very properly and justly call for the exercise and interposition of that power. Indeed, it is not for me to say but in every case of pardon it has been so. My object is to direct attention to the effect it has on the minds of the convicts, and more especially that portion (and they are not a few,) who anticipate a pardon. It is no uncommon thing for prisoners sentenced for a term of years, and even for life, to indulge in a hope of pardon, and often at no distant day. This hope is the source of various expedients resorted to for the purpose of exciting the sympathy of those whose influence can be brought to bear in favor of their release from confinement. Not the least in the catalogue of expedients for that purpose is feigned sickness, and even feigned insanity.

It has become a very common occurrence for prisoners, just before a meeting of the Executive Board, to feign to be very sick, and often with strange symptoms and singular phenomena. And with such adroitness do they, in many instances, counterfeit genuine diseases, that it is only by the closest scrutiny that the deception is detected. Others, again, feign *insanity*, and that, too, to a degree that is quite

surprising, and even incredible.

I have alluded to this subject for the sole purpose of apprizing the Board of Directors of the existence of the evil, feeling fully confident that in the discharge of their duty they will in this matter be guided by wisdom, prudence and discretion.

Most respectfully submitted.
WILLIAM PRESCOTT.

Concord, June 2, 1852.

CHAPLAIN'S REPORT.

His Excellency the Governor and the Hon. Council of the State of New Hampshire:

The Chaplain of the State Prison begs leave to report: In the department of labor assigned the moral and religious instructor, no great or remarkable events have occurred during the year. The course of instruction and the time and manner of religious worship of former years has been continued. The attention and general deportment of the convicts during worship has been quite commendable, and we have grounds to believe that some of the number find that satisfaction and profit in our services known only to the sincere lover of Jesus. A manifest respect for religion on the part of nearly all, renders the labors of the Chaplain very pleasant.

The Sabbath School has prospered, and assisted by a number of excellent young men from the Methodist Biblical Institute, I am persuaded that much good has been done. Three-fourths of all the convicts voluntarily attend, and most seem quite interested. Among them is a class who are learning to read and spell. About one in twenty of all committed are wholly ignorant of letters, and about one-fourth can read but little. These are instructed, and nearly all who go from us are able to read so as to be profited. Some attention is paid to the study of arithmetic and geog-

raphy.

The sum of \$100, appropriated by the Legislature last June, has been expended according to their direction, as will be shown by another report which will be made to the Executive. This sum, though only about 80 cents to a man, has supplied us with stationery, school and Sabbath school books, and so replenished our library as to make it worth as much at least as it was at the commencement of the year. We have about seven hundred volumes, many of them very good books, and all of them unexceptionable as to their moral tendencies—being such as are found in our virtuous and

intelligent families. A weekly exchange of books is made to each man.

In personal conversation with the convicts, I have endeavored to impress social and religious obligations, with kindness and faithfulness, and have the satisfaction of saying that in all cases I have been treated with entire respect, and in most cases with every mark of attention and gratitude.

We have had no difficulty in finding home and employment for such as have been discharged during the year; yet I am sorry to say while some have done well, several have returned to habits of dissipation and idleness, and one has been returned to prison for crime. On the whole, it has been a year of uncommon quietness and prosperity with us, calling for gratitude and encouragement, rather than despondency—for it would be unreasonable to expect success in all our efforts to reform criminals.

A somewhat intimate acquaintance with prisoners for six years, may perhaps justify a few suggestions in concluding this report. On carefully searching the records of our penitentiary, I find that the first committal was in 1812, forty There have been in all to the present time committed, eight hundred and three individuals, averaging twenty each year. Of these, forty have died in Prison, just one on an average per year. There are now in Prison one hundred and eleven, and there have been discharged six hundred and fifty-two. Of this number, four hundred and eighty-seven were convicted of thefts or attempt to steal, in which I include breaking when committed with intent to steal. Of these, thirty-four have been returned to our Prison for the second time, two for the third time, and one for the fourth time. Of the remaining one hundred sixty-five imprisoned for what are deemed higher offences, but two have been returned, and neither of them for a repetition of the same offence, but for crime of another class. The account then stands thus: committed for thefts, four hundred and eighty-seven; re-committed, thirty-seven; proportion, one in thirteen, nearly.

Committed for
Counterfeiting, or passing
counterfeit money,
For forgery,

Re-committed.

44 One for perjury; 31 None;

	Committed for	s ore I	Re-committed.
For	manslaughter,	17	None; Ind and bor
"	attempt to kill,	13	office ruler oldaroner
66	burning,	9	thrul their sons find
"	attempt at rape,	9	em acrinet comm
16	rape,	4	be " wov os andom
66	arson,	6	" Inch in the land in each
66	perjury,	6	i "w ofen notto ow be
"	murder,	2	od authorities of our be
"	maining,	2	1 for manslaughter;
"	various other offences,	8	None.
	In all,	165	Re-committed 2. Proportion, 1 in 8½.

From the above table it will be seen that nearly three-fourths of all were committed for theft in some form, and that this is not only the most common form of crime, but that of all criminals there is in this case the least hope of reform.

These statements may be of some service to those honorable bodies with whom is lodged the pardoning prerogatives, and they should certainly be known to parents and guardians.

There has been for a few of the last years, a great change in the character of criminals brought to our Prison. A large majority are young men, many of them mere youth. They leave the home of their childhood-the virtuous agricultural communities of our Northern New England-with honest hearts and purposes, to find employment in our larger villages. Unpractised in the art of such as lay in wait for them, they fall an easy prey to the wiles and stratagems of wicked men and women, and by degrees lose the impressions of home and parental love, and after struggling awhile against temptation, conscience becomes less active, vice more enchanting, and the poor victim becomes the half-unwilling associate of old villains-old in crime, though perhaps young in years. Then comes the commission of some offence against law-then the arrest of the poor untaught country boy, the seducer and principal criminal slipping through the fingers of the law. Then the jail, the court-room, and the prison, successively open their doors for the victim. Then comes remorse, shame, disgrace. Gray hairs are brought with sorrow to the grave—a family circle, strangers until

now to reproach and sorrow, are agonized and tormented for life; and—but let imagination supply the rest. Through you, respectable rulers, allow me to speak to families who send forth their sons from the paternal residence, and counsel them against committing them to a position so exposed to temptation, so young and so untaught, "lest they come to this place of torment."

And we often ask with indignation, Why do not the constituted authorities of our cities and large villages use more efficient measures to sweep away such receptacles of vice and temptation, and bring to merited punishment those chiefs in trangression? The blessing of God and the gratitude of many a suffering family would be their recompense.

One of the principal hindrances to improvement among us, arises from the very general hope entertained of an early pardon. It is not uncommon to find convicts sentenced for life or for a long term of years, who imagine on coming to Prison that they are to stay but for a few months at most. On being presented with books, or urged to a course of instruction, the reply is-" I do not care so much about it, for my friends have promised to get me out in a few weeks. Esquire A. or Colonel B. said they would take right hold, and nearly all the people would sign a petition for me and I should come out." When a poor fellow is sentenced to the State Prison, it is well to speak kindly to him and show him sympathy, but such promises ought not, we think, to be made. Whatever an afflicted relative may say, or one ignorant of law and justice may do, lawyers and sheriffs and intelligent justices of the peace should consider that though the prisoner may feel better at the time, yet there "cometh the hope deferred," making the heart sick. Month succeeds month, and year follows year, and disappointment marks the career of hope, and the poor convict in the bitterness of his heart curses the man who, (with the best intentions, perhaps,) deceived him. He becomes sad, sour, sullen-and when all of his long years have passed over him, he leaves his Prison home uninstructed and uninformed. I would not say that encouragement should never be given the prisoner; but do not deceive him by promises which will not be kept. Rather dismiss him from your presence with kind assurances of your sympathy and advice suited to his state, and your kindness taking this form will do him essential service.

In conclusion, I would acknowledge the constant kindness and courtesy of the Warden and subordinate officers of the Prison, all of whom have manifested a becoming interest in the reformation of the convicts.

Very respectfully, ELEAZER SMITH, Chaplain.

215 bblad 74 bushels peas, 8s.

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INVENTORY MORE MADE AND LOCAL COLUMN AND

OF THE STOCK, TOOLS, PROVISIONS, &c., AT
THE N. H. STATE PRISON.

Steam Engine Room.

	\$1100 00
1 new pump and 20 ft. 1½ in. funnel,	12 00
1 clock,	1 50
1 pail, wash basin, water pot, oil can	
hammer, wrenches and files,	. 200
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Wash Room.

2	barrels of soap,	\$6 00	OHI
2	wash machines,	3 50	
1	new pump and 75 ft. 14 in. lead pipe	, 17 50	
	lbs. soap grease,	4 50	7
2	baskets,	50 hoor 1	
10	soap barrels,	2 00	
10	bushels of ashes,	1 25	
	09 1 1	\$35	25

Provisions.

16 bbls. of	beef, \$14 per bbl.,	\$224 00
	pork,	25 00

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75 bushels potatoes, 50c, 37 50	
8 " salt, 40c, 3 20	
30 " old salt, 14c, 4 20	
500 lbs. ruta baga,	
700 " rye and Indian meal, 11 20	
50 galls. vinegar, 10 00	
$21\frac{1}{2}$ bbls., 74 bushels peas, 8s, 99 00	
930 gallons molasses, 25c, 232 50	
197 " whale oil, 157 60	
1281 lbs. rice, 54 00	
12 gallons boiled linseed oil, 9 60	
160 lbs. burnt ground coffee, 14 40	
10 bags salt, 21 00	
2½ quintals pollock fish, 7 50	
457 lbs. tobacco, 86 76	
100 " ground pepper, 13 00	
1 box pipes, 175	
6 bushels white beans, 8 28	
7 hogs, estimated weight 1600 lbs., 6c, 96 00	
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bew pamp and 20 ft. 14 in funnel, 12 00 v	

Prison Yard.

1 wheelbarrow,	\$5 00
39\frac{1}{2} cords of wood, \\$3,	117 75
1 chain pump,	18 00
2 pair iron axle trucks,	6 00
1 M. shingles,	3 00
1500 ft. lumber,	13 50
Lot of old iron and shafting,	15 00
2 mill stones,	5 00
75 ft. hose,	15 00
1 road roller,	3 00
1 scale beam and weights,	5 00
2 cleavers,	1 50
1 axe and saw,	1 00
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Dining Hall.

1	stove	and	funnel	\$12	00
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1 long table,	1 00
12 chairs,	4 00
1 table,	50
ROOM DE LES COMMENTS	\$17 50

Prison Hall.

1 clock,	\$1	50
1 table,		75
4 stoves and funnel,	74	00
1 hall bell,	1	50
	184	80
45 old blankets and bedding,	9	00
110 stools in cells,	22	00
110 mugs and pitchers in cells, 10c,	11	00
110 peppers, vinegars, and knives and forks,	6	00
130 night buckets, 25c,	32	
2 buckets,		50
1 water pot,		50
10 long handle dippers,	1	00
4 lamps,	1	25
5 brooms,	1	00
3 whitewash brushes and 5 pails,		00
1 can and varnish,		50
1 can and japan,		50
1 can and spirits turpentine,		25
1 can and varnish,		00
		50
2 large cans,		50
Lot of paints, pots, brushes, &c.,		00
50 ft. glass,	A	50
1 stencil figures,		50
7 water pails,		50
4 earthen pots, firkin, lamp-filler, &c.,	1	00
4 pickle tubs,		00
4 hall lamps,		00
50 ft. old funnel,	9	25
3 scrapers,	1	
Barber's apparatus,		75
1 oil can,		50
Measures, funnel and lamp-fillers,		00
20 pairs extra sheets,		3 40
10 " pillow cases,	- 2	1 80
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8 hanging lamps, Barber's chair and lamp,	4 00 87		
1 stair stool,	25	дэ 00	OF
		\$398	81
Guard Chamber.			
63 white blankets,	\$42 00		
11 colored blankets,	4 40		
3 beds, bedding and bedsteads,	30 00		
		\$76	40
Hospital.			
1 jug and alcohol,	#1 50		
1 gallon castor oil,	\$1 50 2 00		
1 can,	25		
1 globe and tea,	75		
1 bucket and loaf sugar,	1 85		
$1\frac{1}{2}$ box mustard,	17		
1 bucket and salts,	75		
1 "sulphur,	50		
1 medicine chest, &c.,	1 00		
Mugs, pitchers, &c.,	1 25		
1 table,	75		
1 roll blistering plaster, 1 syringe and tooth extractors,	50		
1 rocking chair,	2 25		
1 stove and funnel,	$\frac{100}{200}$		
3 beds, bedding and bedsteads,	10 00		
1 medicine case and contents,	3 00		
		\$29	52
Warden's Office.		φ o	
31 pair new wool blankets,	#CO ##		
1 stove and funnel,	\$69 75 3 00		
2 pair new boots,	4 00		
52 "shoes,	52 00		
2 parlor stoves in Warden's rooms,	18 00		
12 pair steelyards,	4 00		
12 chairs,	3 00		
2 six quarts Shaker Sarsaparilla,	7 50		

1 gross knives and farks	And an Indiana contract of
½ gross knives and forks, 2 jugs,	3 00
	50
1 bucket and alum,	25
1 box shaving soap,	1 50
74 new tin coffee pots, 20c,	14 80
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7 long handle dippers,	88
7 pieces new tin ware,	75
1 pair friction rollers,	50
1 small brass kettle,	34
130 gross screws,	10 40
3 doz. shoe knives, 75c, 6 inkstands,	2 25
	1 50
1 map of Concord,	2 00
2 pair freedom pants,	5 00
1 suit and shirts of red flannel,	2 00
1 wood cut of prison,	14 00
2 desks,	2 00
6 large handle tin pans, 58c,	3 50
1 doz. peppers,	67
9 reams paper, \$1 50,	13 50
1 set of tin measures,	1 25
1 bureau,	3 50
400 new fire basins, 10c,	40 00
12 new fire handle dippers, 1s,	2 00
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	stove and funnel,	\$5	00
3	beds, bedding and bedsteads,		00
30	new comforters, 7s,		00
59	" cotton shirts,		00
19	pillow cases,		50
8	sheets,		50
200	yds. prints,	18	
10	lbs. knitting cotton, 62c,		20
170	yds. ticking,	20	11111
5	new bed ticks,		85
15	pieces, 615 yds. sheeting,	49	
90	yds. drilling,		20
14	brooms, \$3; 1 Franklin stove, \$3,		
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75 Itarpaulin hats, 3c,	2 25	
10 tai padiir nats, 50,	EDDIT HILL	\$202 10
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Tailor's Shop.		Ment 1
80 yds. of red and black satinet, 37½c,	\$33 60	
43 " of satinet, 2s 3d,	16 65	MAIN WAST,
49 " padding, 20c,	9 80	
67 new outside jackets, 12s 6d,	145 16	
38 new vests, 5s,	31 67	
60 pair new pants, 12s,	120 00	
	5 50	
33 caps,	5 88	
14 yds. satinet, 2s 6d, 23 " " 2s 3d,	8 62	
	12 00	
8 " broadcloth, 9s,	1 60	
8 " padding, 20c,	1 50	
12 " thin pants stuff, 9d,	2 75	
25 " canvass, 11c,	4 00	
40 " silicia, 10c,		
1 suit new freedom clothes,	6 00	
2 furnaces, 2 pair shears, 2 geese, 1 squa	are	
and brush,	5 00	
1 stove and pipe,	5 00	
1 suit prison clothes,	5 00	langer of the
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Old Prison.

400 lbs. old iron shafting and axles,	\$6 00
1 cask lime,	1 25
1 pair Fairbank's scales,	15 00
	8 00
1 ton coal,	
1 hammer lathe,	5 00
13 oil barrels,	871
30 buckets,	5 25
	1 00
1 tenant saw,	
3 ladders,	1 00
35 meal bags,	5 00
70 empty pork and beef barrels, 25c,	18 00
10 empty pork and book bazzezy is a	9 00
100 feet old funnel,	
1 coupling box,	50
	5 00
1 fork sett and tools,	0 00

3 clothes lines,	50	
100 lbs. nails,	3 25	
150 lbs. fire proof paint, 2½c,	3 75	
1 paint mill,	50	
2 pair unfinished platform scales,	5 00	
108 unfinished counter scales,	65 00	
Venetian red,	1 00	
		\$167 71
Guard Room.		oest T
Guara Room.		
12 arm chairs, 9s,	\$18 00	
12 old chairs,	3 00	
1 pair wrist irons,	2 50	
1 " ankle "	3 50	
1 stove and apparatus,	20 00	
1 new couch bedstead, mattresses, bed-		
ding, &c.,	16 00	
1 new 8-day clock,	7 50	
1 " mirror,	2 00	
1 revolver,	6 00	
2 head achers,	175	
4 lanterns, extra,	3 00	
1 brush and dust pan,	80	
5 small lamps,	30	
1 broom, 25c; 1 pitcher, 50c,	75	
11 muskets,	19 25	
3 blunderbusses,	5 00	
2 rifles,	6 00	
1 desk,	1 25	
6 swords,	2 00	
1 bullet mould and apparatus,	1 50	
1 pair horse pistols,	2 00	
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Cook Room.		
Oook Itoom.		
8 new tubs,	\$6 00	
1 doz. new pails,	4 00	
114 coffee pots, 10c,	11 40	
222 fire basins, 7c,	15 54	
Large skimmer and chopping knife,	75	

4	old water pails,	40	
	earthen pots, 10c,	1 00	
	iron bread pans,	8 00	
	spider,	25	
	porridge kettle,	25	
	tubs,	3 00	100 60
	large fire pans, 20c.,	60	
	sugar scoopers and skimmer,	25	
	broom and 2 hammers,	40	
	bowls and 7 plates,	92	
	3 mugs,	50	
	I meal chest,	1 50	
	I molasses can,	75	
	2 buckets with pepper and salt,	1 50	
	Spoons and knives,	25	
	Andirons, shovel and tongs,	1 75	
	Meal chest, 50c, 1 counter scale, \$8,	8 50	
	Oven and chopping shovel and meat		
	trough,	1 25	
	1 bag fine salt, 17c, 1 water pot, 20c,	37	9
	3 seives, \$1 50, wash dish and dipper,	25c, 175	
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Prison Barn.

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1 new buggy wagon,	\$90 00
1 " " "	60 00
1 scythe, snaith and rake,	1 25
3 shovels,	1 75
2 picks,	1 00
1 garden rake,	1 00
2 hay forks,	50
Augers,	50
3 ox-chains,	3 00
Old iron,	2 00
4 hoes,	75
Stove at Dr. Prescott's,	. 250
4 iron bars,	\cdot 4 00
1 plough,	5 00
1 cultivator,	3 00
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Smith Shop.

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2 anvils, 425 lbs., 7c,	\$29	75
1 bellows,		00
1 chuck lathe,		00
1 gage lathe and tools,	10	7.5
12 drums and pulleys on long shafting,	25	
100 feet 13 in. shafting and hangers,	75	
5 vises, 125 lbs, 5c,		25
1 lathe shaft and tools,	10	
4 polishing wheels, shafts and pulleys,		50
2 grindstones, pulleys and frames,	12	
175 lbs. old blacksmith's tongs, 6c,	10	
140 " heading tools and swedges,		00
155 " punches, chisels and drills	10	
100 " of taps and screw plates,	23	
14 tap wrenches,	2	
1 nut and monkey wretch,	ĩ.	
340 lbs. old anvil,	3	
79 " hammers and sledges,	9 8	22.50
1 drill and 2 bit-stocks,	2 (
71 lbs. of chains,	2 (
1 shaft and pulley,	1 (
2 water pots,	1 (
1 shaving horse,		50
14 belts,	14 (
Lot of old wire, cutters, burs, drills and	14	00
files,	15 (00
2 pair shears,	8 (
1 basket shave,	10	7
2 wood vises,	15	
5 nut wrenches,	20	
1 glue pot, furnaces and oil can,	12	
Lot of bolts and nuts in box,	3 0	
2 pair dividers, 1 pair calipers, 2 pair plier	30	U
4 screw drivers and hand vises,		100
1 lot scale tools and chasers for screws,	23	
2 stoves and funnel in shop,	50	
3 iron squares,	40	
11 lathe dogs,		0
1 wire cutter,	15	
6 water pails,	20	
o water pans,	5	U

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1 88 1 1 1	oil cans, paint mill and 4 pots, scale boxes, 10c, anvil swedge, blower, gage lathe, portable forge and pipe, large iron kettles,	50 1 00 8 80 2 00 7 00 3 00 23 00 3 00 \$361 81	
	Cabinet Shop.		

7	75 feet 2 inch shafting, with 6 drums,	\$60 00		
	2 drums in addition,	5 00		
	6 feet 2 in. shafting and 1 large drum,	8 00		
	15 feet $1\frac{3}{4}$ in. shafting, with 3 drums below	w		
	the floor,	8 00		
	1 tenanting machine,	10 00		
	1 upright boring machine,	2 00	的。物种的结节与	
	1 saw bench and 2 saw arbors,	5 00	Handa Maria	
	1 planing machine,	15 00	MARKET.	
	6 turning lathes, at \$5 50,	33 00	Barrin	
	1 wood clock,	1 00	Thank I	
	1 vise,	1 50	PAR II	
	Belting,	6 00	L strang	
		18 00		
	2 stoves and 75 feet funnel,	10 00	\$172 50	,
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Chapel.

1 bass viol,	\$8 00	
1 tenor viol,	6 00	
8 chairs,	2 00	
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Shoe Shop.

1 stove and funnel,	\$10 00
1 grindstone, frame and crank,	5 00
1 splitting machine and bench,	2 00
14 low shoe benches,	6 00
4 pair shoe cramps,	2 00

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9 peg benches,	2	50
1 rolling machine,	5	00
1 sole cutting machine,	3 (
30 shoe knives,	1	
15 hammers,	2 9	
10 pairs pincers,	2	
1 bit and stock,		
1 brush, 20c, 1 shoe dink, \$1 75,	1	
7 rasps 70a 0 tube 111k, \$1 75,	19	95
7 rasps, 70c, 9 tubs and pails, 50c, 2	dust	
brushes, 15c,	13	35
1 2 gall. stone jar, 40c, glue pot, 25c,	(55
366 lasts, 6c,	21 9	96
4 welt knives, 25c, 4 raw files, 40c,	6	55
3 peg cutters, 60c, 4 fore part beads, 67	c. 12	7
16 peg awls, 4 iron handles.	2.5	
5 peg wheels, 50c, 4 stitching dinks, 60	Sc. 11	
2 pair dividers, 20c, 6 spoke shaves, \$1	20, 1 4	
1 cramping machine,		
10 low shoe benches,	1 5	
3 standing benches,	12 0	
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	2	5
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RECAPITULATION.

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Engine room,	\$1,115	50
Wash room,		
Provisions,		25
	1,151	99
Prison yard,	208	75
Dining hall,	FUND ENGLOSER 17	50
Prison hall,	398	100
Guard chamber,		
Hospital,	76	
	29	
Warden's office,	301	46
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Tailor's shop,	419	
Old Prison,		
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The foregoing is a true schedule of the property appraised, as shown us by the Warden, at its true value. We would further state that we find the Prison, and every thing in connection with it, in every respect in perfect neatness and order.

WM. BOARDMAN, E. S. LAWRENCE, W. W. EASTMAN,

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE—Merrimack, ss. May 27, 1852.

Personally appeared William Boardman, Ebenezer S. Lawrence and William W. Eastman, and made oath that the foregoing appraisal, by them made, is according to their judgment at its cash value. Before me—

JOHN L. HADLEY, Justice of the Peace.

REPORT

OF THE COMMISSIONERS ON THE STATE RE-FORM SCHOOL.

AN ACT relating to the establishment of a State Reform School.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent

of the Council, be and hereby is authorized and empowered to appoint a board of three Commissioners, who shall have power to select and obtain the refusal of a lot of land containing not less than fifty acres, which shall be an eligible site for a manual labor school, for the employment, instruction and reformation of juvenile offenders, regard being had in the selection thereof to the centre of population, cheapness of living and facility of access. And that said Comsioners shall further be directed to procure plans and estimates for the buildings necessary for such an institution, and to prepare and mature a system for the government thereof, and to ascertain what laws will be necessary and proper to put the same into successful operation, and to report the result to His Excellency the Governor in season to be communicated to the Legislature at the commencement of their next session. And the said Commissioners shall present all their accounts to the Governor and Council, to be by them audited and allowed as they may deem just.

SEC. 2. To defray the expense incurred in selecting said land and in procuring said plans and estimates, and in the execution of the other objects of said commission, His Excellency the Governor be and he hereby is authorized to draw his warrant from time to time on the Treasury of the State for any necessary sums of money, not exceeding in

the whole one thousand dollars.

SEC. 3. This act shall take effect upon its passage. Approved, July 4, 1851.

Under the foregoing resolution, His Excellency the Governor, with advice and consent of the Council, appointed the following Board of Commissioners:

NATH'L B. BAKER, Concord; JOHN E. TYLER, Rollinsford; JOHN S. WOODMAN, Hanover.

REPORT.

The Commissioners appointed under the act entitled "An act relating to the establishment of a State Reform School," approved July 4, 1851, submit the following

REPORT:

Schools for the reformation of juvenile offenders cannot now be considered in the light of an experiment, the utility of the result of which is a matter of uncertainty.

The system has been put to proof, and has been found, in the efficiency of its practical workings and in the excellency and amount of its results, to realize the high expectations of the benevolent and philanthropic spirit which suggested its first trial.

Schools of this kind have for some time been successfully managed in England, Scotland, France, Prussia and Germany. In the United States, there are three in Massachusetts, two in New York, and one each in Rhode Island, New Jersey, Pennsylvania, Maryland and Ohio.

In all these States, these institutions receive a liberal and hearty support, and an increased confidence in their usefulness and importance is yearly felt. By an act of the Massachusetts Legislature at its last session, the State School at Westborough will be increased to nearly double its present size. It now accommodates more than three hundred boys. Maine has already commenced the erection of buildings for the same object.

In our own State, during the past year, a great degree of interest has been manifested relative to this subject. The need of a school for the reformation of youthful offenders is deeply felt, and its establishment earnestly called for. Through the public press and in letters to the Commissioners and others, many of our most judicious and influential citizens have strongly urged its claims, and even towns in their municipal capacity have spoken in its favor.

It is a most noticeable fact that the crimes of youth are increasing, not only in our larger and manufacturing towns,

but even in our quiet country places. The "vagrancy of boys" is complained of in all quarters as a great and increasing evil. Some of these "vagrants" are the sons of foreigners, but more are the sons of our own native citizens-sons of the intemperate, the dissolute, the thriftless-stubborn sons. who are quickly beyond the control of widowed mothers-orphans, who are cast on the wide world to shift for themselves; and too often the indulged and spoiled sons of those who should have governed their children. These idlers congregate and rove about together, and frequently from mere mischievousness are led to crime. They are often in the company of older persons, whose swaggering rowdvism and undisguised dissoluteness are far more palatable to them than any thing conducive to good. Habits of deceit and lying are formed. Profane and obscene language becomes habitual. A taste for ardent spirits is acquired, and street brawls and fights follow, while the crimes of thieving and house-breaking are the inevitable result of their associations and manner of life. These boys grow up sinners, matchless sinners, adepts in every kind of iniquity-thoroughly educated in crime, and hardened to the very core, almost to the obliteration of every moral sense, and at length must end their days in the State prison or upon the gallows, unless some effort is early made to reclaim them. Again, there appears to be a great precocity in the youth of the present The state of boyhood seems to have been abolished or greatly abridged; and almost from the cradle the infant steps forth a would-be-man. Sad indeed is it, that this precocity is not on the side of virtue; but it is the vices of men which are the most readily copied, and all the more readily where the wholesome restraints of a well regulated family and the sacred influences of home are never felt, or, if felt, are disregarded and despised. The gentleman of twelve or fourteen years imitates the manners and habits of the roue of mature age. His dress, his amusemets, his indulgences To support all this dignity, means are must be the same. required which are not forthcoming without resort to theft

Who is there that cannot refer to some boys, who either from the neglect, mismanagement and indulgence of parents, or from stubbornness and wilfulness of his own, has become a pest to society, and whose influence and example are cor-

rupt and pernicious in the extreme?

Now these lads, bad as they may be, are not, like the older criminal, beyond a reasonable hope of reformation, and although they give surety for only evil and crime if allowed to grow up in their existing habits, still, if removed from their present associations and temptations, and subjected to wholesome restraints and discipline—if properly educated, morally, mentally and physically—may be returned to the community correct and valuable citizens.

Habits in boyhood, be they ever so bad, and inclinations and propensities, be they ever so vicious, are rarely so firmly fixed as to long resist the power of a constant, firm and kind

exercise of correct and high-toned discipline.

But for these offenders our laws at present provide only the common jail and State prison. A boy is detected in some crime. He is arraigned, convicted, and committed to jail. There his associates are criminals like himself, and in all probability older in sin than he. His education in villainy, already commenced, now goes on with rapidity, while he is restrained in liberty by the law; and when the term of his sentence has expired, he leaves the place of his confinement punished, to be sure, and disgraced, but more ripe for crime than at his committal.

But this is not the worst feature of our present method of punishing youthful criminals. The moment a boy crosses the threshold of a jail or State prison, the mark of Cain is set upon him, and he feels it; and whatever compunctions of conscience at his past course he may have, and whatever desires for reforming his conduct may visit him, all are crushed by the thought that, on his return to the world, do what he will and be what he may—ever so faithful, ever so upright, ever so true—still the brand is on his brow, and so deeply burned as never to be effaced, never to be forgotten. Men will distrust him, and as he passes say, "That boy has been in prison."

Reflections like these, in a more or less distinct form, pass through every young convict's mind, and by them he is rendered desperate. Life is worthless to him for the accomplishment of any good purpose, and in despair and utter recklessness he looks forward to his release, that he may again

give license to his desires, and more shrewdly practise his

schemes of villainv.

Many a time in our own State, even during the last year, has the magistrate shrunk from committing to these places of punishment such lads as have been brought before him clearly guilty of open crime, believing, and justly, too, that the final good of the community would be better promoted by allowing these young offenders to go at large, after a

faithful official reprimand.

The fact is notorious, that not only misdemeanors, but high-handed offences, in the young, are lightly passed over by the executors of the law for the very reason that there are no places for the reception of the guilty but those which will of necessity debase and degrade, and eventually increase rather than lessen the number of criminals. Often, very often has the unfortunate father of a vicious boy with his purse satisfied the demands of the law, and set his son at large, and at the same time sighed that there was no alterna-

tive but the disgrace and moral miasm of a prison.

A magistrate in one of our large towns significantly remarked that "many arrests are made of young persons, who are never brought before me, as the complaints are settled by their parents or friends." In a letter to the Commissioners, a gentleman of great practical sagacity writes, "I know of no arrests of boys in this vicinity within the last year .-There are many vicious boys hereabouts, who should be taken care of; but on the whole, they had better be afloat, with a small chance of reforming, than to be certainly ruined by committal to jail." From the last excellent report of the Police Justice of a neighboring city we make the following extract :-- " Vagrancy is the crying evil of our city. It is confined mostly to persons under age. There are hundreds of boys and girls prowling about the city by day and evening, who have no employment, and who, if not already disposed to do evil, are contracting habits of idleness, dissipation and dissoluteness. But in a great many instances it is to be feared that these persons live by pilfering, as they have no other visible means of support. In fact, in many instances it has been made apparent that such persons followed a course of petty depredations upon the property of our citizens. We have what was intended as a remedy-a law, by which such persons may be punished. But this

remedy neither prevents vagrancy, nor reforms the vagrant; on the contrary, the remedy provided by the law destroys character oftener than it reforms the vagrant. The alternative of the law is the House of Correction or the common jail, and either, in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred, will produce greater degradation or knowledge of crime, rather

than reformation."

Notwithstanding the fact that so many juvenile criminals, for the reasons above named, escape the infliction of the law, still, the very limited inquiries we have made upon this point, show that during the last year more than one hundred persons under the age of eighteen have been arrested; and could the full police records of the State be examined, we cannot doubt that the number would be found to be doubled. These facts plainly show that the action of the last Legislature relative to the establishment of a Reform School in this State was judicious, philanthropic, and imperatively demanded by the necessities of the times. Law should fulfil the high idea of reforming the offender, while it punishes him and protects the community from his corrupt influence.

A Reform School contemplates the separation of the young convict from society; his seclusion from vicious associates; and more-his reformation and restoration to the community with purposes and character fitting him for a good citizen and an honorable man. Here the young convict enters. He has been willful and unrestrained. He has been the companion of those more advanced in crime, and has learned from them to make dissoluteness and successful villainy his pride and boast. Perhaps he has been the inmate of a prison. He feels, from the very fact of his arrest, that society is arrayed against him; he knows that he has wronged the community, and wronged himself. Still he does not relent; he is reckless, and without self-respect. He enters the Reform School. He feels at once that no attempt to escape will avail him, and yet there is no air of a prison about the place. He is cleansed in his person and clothing. He is treated by his teachers firmly, but kindly. The regulations of the institution are made known to him. The government, though strict and exact, is paternal; and the poor, guilty, despairing child is soon made to feel that he is an object of interest and solicitude to others; that he will be be-

friended and aided in an effort to become better. He soon finds that his position and influence in the school correspond with his daily character and behavior; that by doing right, and scrupulously avoiding wrong, even he can gain the respect and confidence of those around him, and thus there opens to him a source of happiness and comfort such as he had never known. Here he spends a part of each day in the school room, and his lessons must be carefully and thoroughly learned. Another part is spent in labor in the shop or on the farm, and what he does here, must be well and faithfully done; and another part is allowed for proper play and sport. His moral and religious feelings are carefully trained; every inducement and encouragement is held out to him not only to do right, but to do right from principle, to think right, to be right. He is taught his duty to himself-to his associates-to his God. He is taught the value of time and the bearing of his present moral acts on the whole of his future being.

Now this is not an idle nor an impotent agency, and few boys are there, however stubborn and perverse, that may not be thoroughly reformed by the continued pressure of such an influence. In a late report to the Massachusetts Legislature we find the following:-" An extremely ignorant and unpromising boy was committed about fourteen months since. The unfavorable domestic influences by which he had always been surrounded, and the viciousness of his past life, together with the habitual recklessness both had induced, inspired but faint expectations of his reformation; but he soon applied himself to his books with avidity, is now among the most advanced boys in his English studies, and has been pursuing the study of Latin three months with a perseverance and success that indicates no common superiority of mind. The ferocity of the lion is changed to the mildness of the lamb. He is a model of diligence and integrity, equally desirous to know and perform the right for the right's own sake, and is respected and beloved alike by the officers and the boys."

In this proposed Asylum, then, if these young offenders remain until they give evidence of a radical reformation, and then are apprenticed to proper persons in the country, away from their former vicious haunts and associations, the result must be that instead of growing up to inevitably increase

the amount now paid by the public for the cost of criminal prosecutions, and for the support of our prisons and almshouses, they will become respectable and useful men.

The Trustees of the Massachusetts State School at Westborough, in referring to letters received from boys who had been apprenticed from that institution, speak as follows:—
'They are to us full of encouragement and promise. When we contrast their present condition with that of some of those boys before they were brought to the Reform School, twenty-five of them having been arrested for offences five times or more, and one of them not less than thirty times, may we not feel authorized to say, that in the mere economical view of the subject, the Commonwealth is the gainer, from the altered and improved condition of these boys? What, then, must be our consolation when we regard them in their higher and truer position, as immortal and accountable beings restored to the paths of virtue from the way that was leading them down to destruction?"

There is no nobler enterprise than this. The State holds out her kind hand to these her guilty, wandering children, and stays them in their course to ruin; and while she chastises, seeks, like a true parent, to reclaim them to virtue and

to good citizenship.

Plans and Estimates.

Very particular attention has been given to the subject of plans and estimates for the buildings. The Reform School buildings in Massachusetts and Maine, and many other public edifices that seemed likely to afford information or useful hints, have been visited and carefully examined, and their officers consulted as to their convenience and expense; also the opinions and observations of architects and practical mechanics in this and other States have been sought upon the same subject. This subject was deemed highly important, both because it presents the great item of expense in the commencement of such an institution, and also because the convenient, suitable and comfortable arrangement of the buildings contribute in a very considerable degree to the success of a Reform School, where youth are to be persuaded to reformation, and sustained from step to step by being secured against those irritations and tempting opportunities

which would beset them among people living in the ordina-

ry way.

The Commissioners were fully agreed that the buildings should be as simple and compact in their arrangements as would be suitable for the purpose; that they should be sufficiently spacious and comfortable; that they should be finished in a plain, neat and substantial manner, and not a cent expended for extra ornament; also that they should be designed so as to be able to accommodate ultimately three hundred boys, and completed at first for one hundred or one hundred and twenty; that they be large enough to accommodate all the officers and assistants employed in and about the institution; that the walls be of brick, and the basement of stone; and that the estimates include drains, water, apparatus for warming, and everything completed to the

turning of the key.

With these views in mind, and with all the information they have been able to obtain, the Commissioners have come to the conclusion that suitable buildings, as here recommended, large enough for three hundred boys, ultimately, and finished for one hundred or one hundred and twenty, cannot probably be constructed in New Hampshire for less than thirty thousand dollars, and should not exceed thirty-five thousand dollars. This is about one half the sum expended in Massachusetts, and to be expended in Maine, for Reform School buildings that are only one-fourth or one-third larger in capacity. The Commissioners are inclined to recommend putting up the whole outside walls in the first instance, although the chief part of one wing is to be left unfinished at first. If this wing be omitted altogether, it would diminish the above estimate about twenty-five hundred dollars. But it is thought, from the experience of other States and from the statistics and facts inquired into, that the whole edifice recommended would be filled with inmates in a very few years, and about as soon as it could well be got under way.

The kitchen, laundry, and apartments for the farmer, superintendent, and other officers, are large enough to answer any future wants of the Institution. The size or expense is not materially greater than would be required for one hundred boys. If any enlargement of the building should be required in future, it can be made by extending the wings,

so that the symmetry and convenience of the buildings will

be preserved.

The plans which the Commissioners have decided upon and procured, accompany this report. They have been arranged by the aid and advice of Mr. William R. Lincoln. Superintendent of the State Reform School in Massachusetts since its commencement, and a gentleman of large experience and excellent judgment in matters of this kind. plans and estimates were made by the able architects, Messrs. Bond & Parker, of Boston, who have just been employed by the State of Massachusetts to prepare plans for the enlargement of the Reform School at Westborough. They will appear sufficiently plain on inspection. A word of gen-

eral explanation only will be added here.

The basement story will contain the cellar and store-rooms. washing and bathing-rooms for the boys, rooms for washing and laundry, kitchen for officers, and the dining-room for people employed. The first story is for Superintendent's rooms, offices, school-rooms, close cells, store-rooms, kitchen and dining-room, &c. The second story contains workshops and the dormitory, which is twenty-one feet high, and extends through the main building, with three tiers of small sleeping apartments one above another, along the rear wall, and across each end. The third story in the front and rear wings contain the hospital and chapel. The attic can be used for assistants' rooms, and store rooms if necessary. the windows, except in the front wing, are to be filled with a second outside sash of cast iron. The two yards and the two halves of the buildings may be kept quite distinct, so that the inmates can be classified and separated.

The Commissioners would take this opportunity to express their thanks for the assistance and advice they have received from many gentlemen in the prosecution of their inquiries, and more particularly to Mr. Lincoln, Superintendent of the State Reform School of Massachusetts, Rev. Louis Dwight, of Boston, Secretary of Prison Discipline Society, and Al-

bert Blaisdell, Esq., of Greenland, in this State.

Location.

The Commissioners, after the examination of many farms, have unanimously agreed that the most eligible site for the

School is upon the banks of Long Pond, in Concord. By the terms of the resolution directing the Commissioners "to select and obtain the refusal of a lot of land" for said School, they were directed to regard "the centre of population,

cheapness of living, and facility of access."

The farm of which they have obtained a bond, belongs to Jeremiah S. Abbott, and contains about one hundred and fifteen acres. The price of the farm named in the bond is \$5000. It is situated about three miles from the State House, in a quiet and retired portion of the town. The farm lies mostly upon a south-easterly slope of land, extending from the top of a hill to the pond. A never-failing spring is found upon the side of the hill, from which an abundant supply of water can be obtained. The spring is so high up the hill, that the water can be thrown over the top of the proposed buildings. The pond is one of the most beautiful sheets of water in the State, and will afford excellent facilities for bathing, &c.

Considering the beautiful location of the farm, the spring, the quality of most of the land, the pond, "the centre of population, the cheapness of living, and facility of access," the Commissioners are of the opinion that scarcely a farm in the State combines so many desirable qualities as the one

now named.

The Commissioners have taken a bond of Mr. Abbott's farm; said bond to run till the first day of August next. The bill which the Commissioners have reported in accordance with the direction of the resolution, contains a clause providing that the school shall be located upon the farm of Mr. Abbott, or in that vicinity upon some farm situated on the pond. This alternative was inserted in order that the State might retain to itself all the advantages in purchasing, which it could not have were its agents bound to the purchase of only one spot of land. It might be very advantageous to the State to sell a portion of the Jeremiah S. Abbott farm, if the purchase of the same should be made, or to exchange a portion on one side for a tract on the other. It might also be found for the best interests of the State to take the adjoining farm for the School, or a farm in that vicinity, or a portion of the adjoining farm and a portion of the Jeremiah S. Abbott farm.

System of Government.

The Commissioners were also directed "to prepare and mature a system for the government" of the State Reform School, "and to ascertain what laws will be necessary and proper to put the same into successful operation."

In accordance with said directions, the Commissioners

have prepared the following resolutions and bill:

STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE.

Resolved by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Court convened, That His Excellency the Governor, by and with the advice and consent of the Council, be and he is hereby authorized and empowered to appoint a Board of three Commissioners, who shall cause to be erected upon the farm now owned by Jeremiah S. Abbott, of Concord, situated upon the shores of Long Pond, in said Concord, or upon land in that vicinity, and upon the shores of said Long Pond, a building or buildings suitable for the accommodation of a Superintendent and Steward, with their families, and a teacher or teachers, and capable of accommodating three hundred boys; and that said Commissioners shall have power to make all necessary contracts for, and to appoint Agents to superintend the erection of the same. And said Commissioners shall present all their accounts to the Governor and Council, to be by them audited and allowed, from time to time, as they shall deem just.

Resolved, That for the purpose of defraying the expenses to be incurred under the preceding resolve, His Excellency the Governor be, and he is hereby authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Council, to draw his warrants, from time to time, upon the Treasurer of this State for the necessary sums of money, not exceeding in the whole twen-

ty thousand dollars.

Resolved, That for the purpose of purchasing the land, and of stocking, improving and cultivating the same for the current year, a sum not exceeding seven thousand dollars be appropriated; and His Excellency the Governor be, and he hereby is authorized, by and with the advice and consent of the Council, to draw his warrant upon the Treasurer of the State for the same.

Resolved, That if, in the opinion of the Commissioners of the State Reform School, such a course may be prudent and economical, said Commissioners may at first complete the centre building and one wing only, providing accommodations for one hundred and twenty boys—and that the furnishing of the other wing be postponed until the wants of the State may demand its completion.

AN ACT to establish the State Reform School.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives

in General Court convened,

Section 1. There shall be established in the town of Concord, upon the farm now owned by Jeremiah S. Abbott, of Concord, situated upon the shores of Long Pond, in said Concord, or upon land in that vicinity, and upon the shores of said Long Pond, a School for the instruction, employment and reformation of juvenile offenders, to be called the State Reform School; and the government of said School shall be vested in a board of seven Trustees, to be appointed and commissioned by the Governor, by and with the advice of the Council.

SEC. 2. It shall be the duty of said board of Trustees to take charge of the general interests of the Institution; to see that its affairs are conducted in accordance with the requirements of the Legislature, and of such by-laws as the board may from time to time adopt for the orderly and economical management of its concerns; to see that strict discipline is maintained therein; to provide employment for the inmates, and bind them out, discharge, or remand them, as is hereinafter provided; to appoint a Superintendent, a Steward, a teacher or teachers, and such other officers as, in their judgment, the wants of the Institution may require; to prescribe the duties of the Superintendent and other officers; to exercise a vigilant supervision over the Institution, its officers and inmates; to remove such officers at pleasure, and appoint others in their stead; and to determine the salaries to be paid to the officers respectively-subject, in all cases, to the approval of the Governor and Council. The Trustees shall also prepare and submit to the inspection of the Governor and Council, a code of by-laws, which shall not be valid until sanctioned by them. The by-laws may subsequently be enlarged or amended by the assent of five members of the board of Trustees, at any legal meeting of said board, and not otherwise; but no alteration shall be valid until it shall have been approved by the Governor and Council.

SEC. 3. As soon as the Governor shall have been notified by the Commissioners to be appointed under a resolve for erecting the State Reform School buildings, that said buildings are prepared for occupancy, he shall forthwith issue his

proclamation giving public notice of the fact.

SEC. 4. After proclamation shall have been made, as provided in the 3d section of this act, when any boy under the age of sixteen years shall be convicted of any offence, known to the laws of this State, and punishable by imprisonment, other than such as may be punished by imprisonment for life, the court or justice, as the case may be, before whom such conviction shall be had, may, at their discretion, sentence such boy to the State Reform School, or to such punishment as is now provided by law for the same offence. And if the sentence shall be to the Reform School, then it shall be in the alternative, to the State Reform School, or to such punishment as would have been awarded if this act had not passed.

Sec. 5. Any boy so convicted and sent to said School, shall there be kept, disciplined, instructed, employed and governed, under the direction of said board of Trustees, until he shall be either reformed and discharged, or shall be bound out by said Trustees, according to their by-laws, or shall be remanded to prison under sentence of the court as incorrigible, upon information of the Trustees, as herein-

after provided.

SEC. 6. If any boy shall, upon any conviction, be sentenced to said School, and the Trustees, or any two of them in the absence of the others, shall deem it inexpedient to receive him, or if he shall be found to be incorrigible, or his continuance in the School shall be deemed prejudicial to the management and discipline thereof, they shall certify the same upon the mittimus by virtue of which he is held, which mittimus, together with the boy, shall be delivered to the Sheriff of any county or his deputy, or to the Constable of

any town, who shall forthwith commit said boy to the jail, house of correction, or State Prison, as the case may be, in pursuance of the alternative sentence provided for in the

preceding section of this act.

SEC. 7. All commitments to this Institution of boys, of whatever age when committed, shall be for a term not longer than during their minority, nor less than one year, unless sooner discharged by order of the Trustees, as herein before provided; and whenever any boy shall be discharged therefrom by the expiration of his term of commitment, or as reformed, or as having arrived at the age of twenty-one years, such discharge shall be a full and complete release from all penalties and disabilities which may have been created by such sentence.

Sec. 8. The Trustees of this School shall have power to bind out all boys committed to their charge, for any term of time during the period for which they shall have been committed, as apprentices or servants, to any inhabitants of this State; and the said Trustees, and master or mistress, apprentice or servant, shall, respectively, have all the rights and privileges, and be subject to all the duties set forth in the Revised Statutes and laws of this State, in the same manner as if said binding or apprenticing were made by

overseers of the poor.

SEC. 9. The Trustees shall cause the boys under their charge to be instructed in piety, in morality, and in such branches of useful knowledge as shall be adapted to their age and capacity; they shall also be instructed in some regular course of labor, either mechanical, manufacturing, agricultural or horticultural, or a combination of these, as shall be best suited to their age and strength, disposition and capacity; also, such other arts and trades as may seem to them best adapted to secure the reformation, amendment, and future benefit of the boys; and, in binding out the inmates, the Trustees shall have scrupulous regard to the religious and moral character of those to whom they are to be bound, to the end that they may secure to the boys the benefit of a good example and wholesome instruction, and the sure means of improvement in virtue and knowledge, and thus the opportunity of becoming intelligent, moral, useful and happy citizens.

SEC. 10. The Superintendent, with such subordinate

officers as the Trustees shall appoint, shall have the charge and custody of the boys. He shall himself be a constant resident at the Institution, and shall discipline, govern, instruct and employ, and use his best endeavors to reform the inmates, in such manner as, while preserving their health, will secure the formation, as far as possible, of moral, religious and industrious habits, and regular, thorough progress and improvement in their studies, trades, and various employments.

SEC. 11. The Superintendent shall have charge of the lands, buildings, furniture, tools, implements, stock, and provisions, and every other species of property pertaining to the Institution within the precincts thereof. He shall, before he enters upon the duties of his office, give a bond to the State, with sureties satisfactory to the Governor and Council, in the sum of two thousand dollars, conditioned that he shall faithfully account for all moneys received by him as Superintendent, and faithfully perform all the duties incumbent on him as such. He shall keep, in suitable books, regular and complete accounts of all his receipts and expenditures, and of all property entrusted to him, showing the income and expenses of the Institution; and he shall account to the Treasurer, in such manner as the Trustees may require, for all moneys received by him from the proceeds of the farm, or otherwise. His books, and all documents relating to the School, shall, at all times, be open to the inspection of the Trustees, who shall, at least once in every six months, carefully examine the said books and accounts, and the vouchers and documents connected therewith, and make a record of the results of such examination. keep a register, containing the name and age of each boy, and the circumstances connected with his early history; and he shall add such facts as may come to his knowledge relating to the subsequent history of said boy, while at the Institution, and after he shall have left it.

Sec. 12. All contracts on account of the Institution shall be made by the Superintendent in writing, and, when approved by the Trustees, if their by-laws require it, shall be binding in law, and the Superintendent, or his successor, may sue or be sued thereon to final judgment and execution; and no such suit shall abate by reason of the office of Superintendent becoming vacant, pending such suit; but

any successor of the Superintendent may take upon himself the prosecution or defence thereof, and, upon motion of the adverse party, and notice, he shall be required so to do.

SEC. 13. There shall be a Treasurer, to be appointed by the Governor and Council, who shall, before he enters upon the discharge of the duties of his office, give a bond to the State, with sureties satisfactory to the Governor and Council, in the sum of three thousand dollars, conditioned that he shall faithfully account for all money received by him as Treasurer; which bond, and also that of the Superintendent, shall be filed in the office of the Treasurer of the State.

SEC. 14. The board of Trustees shall be appointed forthwith, and they shall take charge of the farm in Concord which may be purchased by the State for said School, except so much thereof as shall be needed for the purposes of the Commissioners for the erection of the buildings. When the Governor shall have made proclamation that the buildings are ready for occupancy, the School and the buildings shall be at once in the charge of the Trustees.

When two years shall have expired after the first appointment of a board of Trustees, two Trustees shall be appointed and commissioned annually; and, for this purpose, the places of the two senior members, as they stand arranged in their commission, shall be thereafter annually vacated. No Trustee shall receive any compensation for his services; but he shall be allowed the amount of expenses incurred by him in the discharge of the dark of the standard of the

in the discharge of the duties of his office.

Sec. 15. One or more of the Trustees shall visit the School once in every two weeks, at which time the boys shall be examined in the school-room and work-shop, and the register shall be inspected. A record of these visits shall be regularly kept in the books of the Superintendent.

Once in every three months, the School, in all its departments, shall be thoroughly examined by a majority of the board of Trustees, and a report made, showing the results of these examinations. Annually, in the month of May, an abstract of these quarterly reports shall be prepared, which, together with a full report by the Superintendent, shall be laid before the Governor and Council, for the information of the Legislature. The Treasurer shall also submit, at the same time, a financial statement, furnishing an accurate de-

tailed account of the receipts and expenditures for the year terminating on the last day of the month of April next preceding.

Respectfully submitted,
N. B. BAKER,
JNO. E. TYLER,
JOHN S. WOODMAN,
Commissioners.

ADJUTANT GENERAL'S REPORT.

Adjutant General's Office, Concord, N. H., June 14, 1852.

To His Excellency Noah Martin, Governor and Commander-in-Chief:

Sin:—In compliance with the requirements of an act of Congress, approved May 8, 1792, entitled "An act more effectually to provide for the national defence, by establishing a uniform militia throughout the United States," and also of the 88th chapter of the Revised Statutes, I have the honor to submit herewith my annual report, containing abstracts from returns received from Adjutants of regiments, and exhibiting the numerical strength of the militia of the State for the year 1852.

To the condensed returns are appended tabular statements, showing the amount of ordnance, ordnance appendages, small arms, musical instruments, and other military property of the State, now in the care of the several regiments, the Selectmen of towns, the Commissary General at Portsmouth, and the Deputy Commissary General at Lan-

caster.

The following table exhibits the Volunteer Militia by Divisions and Brigades:—

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1st Division,	1st Brigade,	62	208	180	135	1 585
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It will be perceived by the foregoing table, that the numbers returned as cavalry, artillery, light infantry and riflemen, amounts to 5513, which is only 52 less than the number returned last year. This diminution is less than could have been reasonably expected, under the operation of the law of 1851, which abolishes all military parade, all active service

and pay allowance authorized by the law of 1850.

The abolition of active parade duty, so far as my observation has extended, seems to receive general approbation from those who adopt the principle of "In time of war prepare for war," in opposition to the motto of the Father of his country, to make those preparations "in time of peace," and of those who seem entirely to disregard the article of our Constitution, which says that "a well-regulated militia is the proper, natural and sure defence of a State." The Adjutant General will be pardoned the expression of great solicitude that so strong and abiding opposition has grown up in the State against any and all military systems-so strong and abiding that it is presumed we shall hear no more of "promiscuous assemblages, useless and ridiculous farces," until some exigency of the country shall show the necessity of military preparations. Notwithstanding the ceaseless ridicule bestowed upon the militia, there are many excellent appearing and well-disciplined companies in the State, that would compare favorably with any corps of any State in the Union. A few companies have the spirit, energy and ability to maintain their organization, despite all this opposition, to say nothing of past, present or future enactments.

Subjoined also to this report are the condensed returns of the whole numerical strength of the militia of the State for the year 1852, being 722 less than the aggregate of the return of 1851; as well as of the arms and accoutrements, duplicates of which will, in due time, be forwarded to the

War Department, as required by law.

It has been said, and with much truth, that all inducements heretofore held out, calculated to nerve the energy and prompt the military spirit of the officers in command to do their duty, have been stricken from the statutes; and, while there is no parade duty required, it can hardly be expected that every regiment will be officered in such a man-

ner as will ensure a full enrolment.

It was thought by many of the friends of an active parade duty, that it would be utterly impossible, under the law of the last session of the Legislature, to sustain the present established organization, and be able to receive at this department anything approximating to a full return of the This opinion is verified in some four regiments, and only in such as are destitute of competent officers. Notwithstanding these impediments, there has been a decided improvement in the accuracy and completeness of the returns of thirty-five regiments the past year. This result has been brought about by the correspondence of this department, which has been far more extensive than during any preceding year. Copies of the act referred to, together with printed circulars, containing minute instructions, have been furnished in sufficient numbers to supply the field and staff officers and the commandants of each company in the State; and the unprecedented full enrolment of many of the regiments is mainly attributable to the manly and prompt cooperation on the part of the returning officers of such regiments, with the efforts put forth by this department.

There are two objects intended to be accomplished by the annual enrolment. First, to furnish the President—who is the constitutional Commander-in-chief of the militia, when called into active service of the United States, and whose duty it is to take "care that the laws be faithfully executed," and "to give Congress information of the state of the Union"—with precise statements as to the available military strength of every State and Territory, in case of war, invasion or insurrection. Secondly, each State receives arms and military equipments from the general government, based upon the returns made annually by the Adjutant Generals of the several States to the general government, of the ag-

gregate amount of the militia. The amount due for any given year is received as a valuation in muskets, each musket being appraised at \$13, and is issued in arms adapted to each particular corps designated by the Commander-in-chief, and is delivered free of expense of transportation, at such post or navigable stream within the State as shall be designated. The quota due this State for the year 1852 is equal to about 229 muskets, exceeding considerably that of 1850. Requisitions have been made on the Ordnance Department at Washington for the amount to be furnished in Colt's Repeating Pistol, a beautiful and efficient arm, one of which may be seen, by any one desiring to do so, at the Adjutant General's office.

I have devoted much of the time and labor of the past year to the distribution of arms among the several towns, agreeably to the requirements of the law of 1850, and find it exceedingly difficult, and in many instances entirely impossible, to comply with those requirements without attending personally to that duty. The greater portion of the sureties on bonds filed in this office are unknown to the Adjutant General. They reside remote from head-quarters, many have deceased, others have left the State, and very many, undoubtedly, are irresponsible; consequently, in many cases there were none to correspond with, and in others nothing reliable can be gained by correspondence. A large amount of muskets have been transferred from the former bondsmen to the towns, and the selectmen of such towns have receipted for the same. And yet there are remaining uncared for, nearly four thousand muskets and rifles, which will require no inconsiderable amount of labor to deposit as the law contemplates. Such service will be performed as soon as the other imperative duties of the department will admit.

Considerable of an amount of property, consisting of old unservicable cannon, &c., has been collected, and a sale of the same was partially effected, and would have been completed and the proceeds accounted for at this session, had it not been for the failure of the firm with which the contract had been made, immediately before the department was ready to make the delivery. It will soon be disposed of at its fair value.

But \$200 of the \$500 appropriated for military purposes

by the Legislature, at its last session, has been drawn from the treasury, which, together with other sums collected from the sale of dilapidated property, will be shown in my accounts and by my vouchers, which have been transmitted to the Legislature now in session. There are numerous small bills to be adjusted for the repairs of gun-houses, cleaning and repairing ordnance, ordnance carriages and harness-

es, which have not yet been presented.

The artillery company in the 8th regiment, at Salem, having become disorganized, there is, consequently, no one required or authorized by law to protect this ordnance, a very valuable 6-pounder piece, furnished by the general government. The appendages were fast going to decay, and it has been removed to this town, and deposited in an unoccupied gun-house, where it can receive proper care with a moderate expense to the State. Should the present law, requiring no active field duty, be retained upon the statute for any considerable length of time, it is quite conclusive that many of the artillery companies will disband, and a large amount of the State's property be left with no suitable provision for its protection. In some instances, judicious and responsible persons, out of the ranks, have been appointed to take charge of such property, who will require an adequate compensation for their services.

The law allows Adjutants of regiments the moderate sum of \$2 00 for making their annual returns, and also remittances for all postage paid on account of the militia, while Quartermasters in making their returns are subject to nearly the same amount of labor, and quite as much postage, and are allowed nothing. Justice would seem to require that they should be allowed the same as Adjutants, or be relieved

from that duty.

By a resolution of the Legislature, approved July 4, 1851, the Adjutant General was instructed to take the ancient piece of ordnance, now in possession of the artillery company of the 9th regiment, and place the same in some suitable position in the State House for preservation, and furnish said company with an appropriate piece instead thereof. It is found, upon inquiry, that the piece is claimed as private property, on the ground that it was presented to the 9th regiment by Gen. Stark. It is believed that if suitable and conciliatory means are used, an exchange may be effected

without resort to any proceeding on the part of the State or the regiment to substantiate their claim.

Since the 14th of June, 1851, 323 commissions, of differ-

ent grades, have been issued, and 149 discharges.

I have thus briefly and imperfectly alluded to some of the more important transactions of this department since my

last annual report.

In conclusion, I beg leave to refer to the necessity and importance of an effective, well organized and active militia system. Should the Legislature deem it expedient to make any enactments in regard to the militia, it is sincerely hoped that they will be of such a character as will tend to elevate, improve and perfect, rather than weaken and paralyze, the "right arm of our country's defence."

All which is respectfully submitted.

J. WADLEIGH, Adj't Gen'l.

	No. of Regiments.	14::::::	14
	No. of Brigades.	00::::::	100
60	No. of Divisions.		14
100	Total Volunteer and En- rolled Militia.	67 820 831 831 832	31,440
-	Non-Commis. Staff.	131	
Ve	Field and Com. Staff.	320	183
9	General Staff.	- 61 - 61	
for the year 1852	Privates.	8223 13553 25,773 639	28,088
for	Musicians.	 146 655 100	904
8	Corporals.	34 1339 32 32	211
0 INC.	Sergeants.	120 585 76	797
4 100	Ensigns and Cornets.	202	227
6	Lieutenants.	16 72 271 24	383
Abstract of the Returns of the New Hampshire Militia	Captains.	833 248 21	310
=	Drum and Fife Majors.	1 : : 2 : : : :	27
	Quartermast. Sergeants.	1::58:::	28
	Sergeant Majors.	1::20::::	31
-	Surgeon's Mates.	1 :83 : : : : :	28
6.0	Surgeons.	37: : : : :	37
	Chaplains.	:55 : : : :	31
1	Paymasters.	:55 : : : :	31
-	Quartermasters.	: 器 : : : : :	35
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	Majors.	:& : : : : :	133
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Cav. & Art. Colors.	38	188
Regimental Colors.	188 :	188
Fifes.	432	432
Drums,	470	470
Scabbards & Belts.	16:	16
ATTRICTY & CRV2ITY	17:	17
alry Swords.	1 32 :	120
Artillery and Cav-	17:	118
Pairs of Pistols.	216	216
Pouches.	361	361
Powder Horns.	352	352
Rifles.	2387	3084
Knapsacks.	939	939
Brushes and Picks.	74 3	50 3
COMPANY SHIP 2	183	3 26
Spare Flints.	1580	1 580
Cartridge Boxes & Belts.	239]	2391
Bayonet Scabbards and Belts.	2387	2387
Bayonets.	305	807
Muskets.	323 8	325 9
Trail Handspikes.	5088	180
Sets Horse Harness.	62 :	62 5
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Drag Ropes.	18:	199
Bricoles.	1 38 :	188
Lead Aprons.	37	14
Lint Stocks & Port Fire Stocks.	888	41
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Ammunition boxes.	18	82
Ladles and Worms	133	50
Sponges & Ram'ers.	10	26
Iron 32-pounders.		
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COMMANDANTS OF DIVISIONS, WITH THEIR STAFF OFFICERS AND THEIR RESIDENCE.

Ist Div., Maj. Gen., William R. Parker, Bow. Inspector, G. W. Ordway, Concord. Q. Master, Philander Messer, Bow. Aids-de-camp, Geo. Clough, Concord, " J. W. Hildreth, Bow.

2d Div., Maj. Gen., Jeremiah Roberts, Farmington.
Inspector, Brackett Merrill.
Q. Master, W. H. Parmenter.
Aids-de-camp, J. S. Parker,
"David Jewett.

3d Div., Maj. Gen., Erastus Dickinson, Winchester.
 Inspector, Allen P. Dudley, Chesterfield.
 Q. Master, J. G. Capron, Winchester.
 Aids-de-camp, H. T. Ramsdell, Swanzey,
 " J. G. Fuller, Keene.

4th Div., Maj. Gen., S. P. Adams, Haverhill.
Inspector, C. R. Morrison, "
Q. Master, J. C. Worth, "
Aids-de-camp, Converse Morgan, Haverhill,
" G. W. Aiken, "

COMMANDANTS OF BRIGADES, WITH THIER STAFF OFFICERS AND THEIR RESIDENCE.

1st Brig., Brig. Gen., Charles A. Nason, Hampton Falls.
Inspector, J. N. Brown, Seabrook,
Q. Master, Franklin Brown, Seabrook,
Aid-de-camp,

2d Brig., Brig. Gen., Alfred Hoitt, Lee.
Inspector, William W. Fowler, Dover.
Q. Master, Thos. L. Smith,
Aid-de-camp, Geo. H. Pierce,
"

3d Brig., Brig. Gen., Aaron Whittemore, Pembroke. Inspector, John Woodbury, Pelham.

Q. Master, Moody Hobbs, Pelham. Aid-de-camp, Jacob Richardson, " 4th Brig., Brig. Gen., Thos. R. Worthley, Goffstown. Inspector, Stephen M. Dow, Manchester. Q. Master, Rodney Worthley, Goffstown. Aid-de-camp, Albe Morrill, Weare. 5th Brig., Brig. Gen., Daniel W. Bill, Gilsum. Inspector, Daniel Buss, Marlow. Q. Master, J. Q. Jones, Aid-de-camp, R. B. Fuller, Keene. 6th Brig., Brig. Gen., Asa Worth, Hanover, Inspector, Chas. G. Jackson, Enfield. Q. Master, Daniel G. Burns, Hanover. Aid-de-camp, J. L. Blaisdell, " 7th Brig., Brig. Gen., Cyrus K. Drake, Effingham. Inspector, Chas. C. Hayes, Q. Master, John N. Lord, Freedom. Aid-de-camp, Joseph Stackpole, Effingham. 8th Brig., Brig. Gen., Edward O. Kenney, Littleton. Inspector, Jos. L. Gibb, White Mountains. Q. Master, William J. Bellows, Littleton. Aid-de-camp, Harry Binghnm,

Regimental Field and Staff Officers, with their residence and the aggregate of enrolment.

No. of Regiments.	Enrolment.
1st Regt., Col., Zebulon J. Wiggin, Stratham.	1172
Lt. Col., John O. Wiggin, "	
Maj., John J. Scammon. "	
Adjt., Daniel W. Jones, "	
Q. Master, D. W. C. Jewell, "	
2d Regt., Col., John Stackpole, Dover.	1082
Lt. Col., Henry Meserve, "	
Maj., James Hussey, Somersworth,	
Adjt., Nathaniel W. Churchill, Dover.	
Q. Master, Chas. W. Wiggin, "	
3d Regt., Col., John M. Weare, Seabrook.	739
Lt. Col., David C. Marston, Hampton.	
Mai., B. F. Hill, South Hampton.	

3d Regt.,	Adjt., George A. Chase, Kensington.	
	Q. Master, S. A. Brown, "	
4th Regt.,	Col., William H. Veasey, Brentwood.	699
	Lt. Col., R. W. Bachelder, Exeter.	
	Maj., Thos. F. Piersons, "	
	Adjt., M. N. Collins, Brentwood.	
	Q. Master, H. R. Merrill, Exeter.	
5th Regt.,	Col., Chas. K. Whitney, Nashua.	1899
	Lt. Col., I. J. Fox, Nashville.	
	Maj., Henry B. Stiles, Brookline.	
	Adjt., J. C. Brackett, Nashville. Q. Master, T. G. Banks, Nashua.	
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6th Regt.,	Col., Silas H. Smith, Winchester.	1091
	Lt. Col., S. L. Whitcomb, Swanzey.	
	Maj., H. T. H. Pierce, Chesterfield.	
	Adjt., Geo. A. Sprague, Winchester.	
	Q. Master,	
7th Regt.,	Col., Daniel S. Winslow, Kingston.	896
	Lt. Col., Cyrus Sanborn, 2d, Sandown.	
	Maj., John P. Stickney, Hampton.	
	Adjt., James M. Bartlett, Kingston.	
	Q. Master, R. L. Prescott, "	
8th Regt.,	Col., Chas. R. Clark, Londonderry.	456
· ·	Lt. Col., S. G. Colburn, Pelham.	
	Maj.,	
	Adjt.,	
	Q. Master,	
9th Regt.,	Col., Stephen C. Hall, Manchester.	2674
	Lt. Col., E. G. Gilford, "	
	Maj., Sam'l N. Bell, "	
	Adjt., Sam'l G. Langley, "	
	Q. Master, G. W. Riddle, "	
10th Regt	, Col., Geo. W. Weeks, Gilford,	733
	Lt. Col., Joshua B. Merrill, Barnstead.	
	Maj., John Q. Merrill, Gilford.	
	Adjt., John Blaisdell, jr., "	
	Q. Master, R. J. Glidden, "	
11th Regt.	, Col., John Stickney, Concord.	1226
	Lt. Col., Albert Abbott, "	
	Maj., Lorin A. Webster, "	
	Adjt., Joseph A. Pearson, Concord.	
	Q. Master, Joseph C. Perkins, "	

12th Regt.	, Col., James R. Stanley, Jaffrey.	910
	Lt. Col., Abiel W. Walker, Troy.	
panisalis	Maj., Lewis L. Pierce, "	
	Adjt., James L. Balster, "	
	Q. Master, F. B. Forrestall, Jaffrey.	
13th Regt.,	Col., Rufus Dow, Piermont.	684
2 /	Lt. Col., James Norris, Benton.	
	Maj., S. S. Clifford, "	
	Adjt., A. P. Gould, Piermont.	
	Q. Master, Moses Learned, Piermont.	
14th Regt.	Col., Robert B. Tucker, Thornton.	752
	Lt. Col., S. R. Merrill, Woodstock.	102
	Maj., B. F. Cass, Plymouth.	
	Adjt., James P. Pattee, Holderness.	
	Q. Master, William Glovier, Woodstock.	
15th Rogt	Col., B. P. Walker, Claremont.	006
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	Lt. Col., Wm. Dinsmoor, "	
	Maj., Samuel M. Bowman, Charlestown.	
	Adjt., Orr Wallace, Acworth.	
	Q. Master, B. Warner, "	
17th Regt.,	Col., James Welch, Raymond.	496
	Lt. Col., John Morse, Chester.	
	Maj., David Griffin.	
	Adjt., Warren Titcomb, Raymond.	
	Q. Master, C. B. Bachelder, "	
18th Regt.,	Col., Richard J. Sanborn, Deerfield.	665
	Lt. Col., John C. Berry, Pittsfield.	
	Maj., Sam'l S. James, Northwood.	
	Adjt., Sewall D. Tilton, Deerfield.	
	Q. Master, Simon Blake, "	
19th Regt.,	Col., James M. Smith, Sandwich.	756
and the same	Lt. Col., Aaron G. Smith, Tamworth.	
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	Adjt., Enoch Q. Fellows, "	
	Q. Master, John C. Avery, "	
20th Regt	Col., Geo. H. Gassett, Keene.	740
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20th Regt., A	Iaj., Chas. W. Wyman, Keene.	
	djt., Aaron H. Livermore, Gilsum.	
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21st Regt., C	ol., Gustavus V. Webster, Salisbury.	537
	t. Col., Jos. S. French, Boscawen.	
IN.	Iaj., H. W. Pillsbury, "	
A A	Adj., Daniel B. Baker, Salisbury.	
	L. Master, D. R. Everett, "	
22d Regt., C	Col., Horace Parkhurst, Wilton.	785
I	t. Col., G. H. Ramsdell, New Ipswich.	
	Maj.,	
	Adjt., Chas. Scott, Peterborough.	
6	Q. Master, Augustus Parkhurst, Wilton.	
23d Regt., C	Col., Thomas M. Colby, Hanover.	493
I	Lt. Col., Anthony C. Hardy, Lebanon.	
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man _ 1	Adjt., H. W. L. Thurston, Hanover.	
	Q. Master, Converse Fitts, "	
24th Regt., C	Col., Edmund H. Keyser, Stewartstown.	360
	Lt. Col., David C. Bamford, "	
013	Maj., Moulton B. Richardson, Stratford.	
000	Adjt., Lucius Hartshorn, "	
	Q. Master, James S. Bamford, Stewartstow	n.
	Col., J. S. Burnham, Durham.	953
	Lt. Col., 'Tichenor Miles, Madbury.	
	Maj., Jos. A. Whicher, Strafford.	
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(Q. Master,	
	Col., Edward Patten, Deering.	614
	Lt. Col., Lewis Richardson, Greenfield.	
	Maj., Hyman B. Butler, Bennington.	
	Adjt., James H. Bradford, Antrim.	
	Q. Master, Joel Bullard, Bennington.	
	Col., Morrill B. Smith, Wakefield.	1027
	Lt. Col., Wm. P. Burley, "	
	Maj., James L. Brown, Ossipee.	
	Adjt., Lyford W. Graves, Tuftonborough.	
	Q. Master, Jona. M. Burley, Wakefield.	
	Col., William Marvin, jr., Alstead.	586
	Lt. Col., D. B. Morrison, "	
	Maj., Timothy Tufts,	
	Adit., Squire C. Chase, Marlow,	

28th Regt.,	Q. Master, Geo. W. Draper, Alstead.	
	Col., Benj. B. Rollins, Meredith.	905
	Lt. Col., Wm. H. Wadleigh, "	
	Maj., David C. Clough, Sanbornton.	
	Adjt., Joseph S. Neal, Meredith.	
	Q. Master, Wm. Neal, "	
30th Regt	Col., Mason B. Presby, Bradford.	688
0 /	Lt. Col., John M. Hayes, New London.	
	Maj., Geo. W. Everett, "	
	Adjt., Oren T. Hayes, "	
	Q. Master,	
31st Regt.	Col., Daniel Nettleton, Newport.	663
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	Maj., Cyrus B. How, "	
	Adjt., Aaron F. Nettleton, "	0
	Q. Master, Dan'l W. Wilcox, Newport.	4
32d Regt	Col., Ira M. Clark, Landaff.	1007
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	Maj., Asa Hildreth, Lisbon.	
	Adjt., M. V. B. Blandin, Bethlehem. Q. Master, H. W. Wilder, "	
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	Lt. Col., James Davis, Alton.	
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To the Honorable Legislature of the State of New Hampshire:

In compliance with the act of June 30th, 1846, the undersigned respectfully submits the following

REPORT:

That during the past year there have been added to the

State Library 319 volumes of bound books and 53 pamph-

lets, a schedule of which is hereunto annexed.

In my last annual report to the Legislature, I took occasion to call their attention to a resolution passed at the fall session of 1848, establishing a system of international exchanges. At the last session of the Legislature a bill was passed rescinding said resolution, but it accidentally failed to reach the Governor, and of course did not become a law. The subject will, I confidently hope, claim the early attention of the Legislature. A box of books was received previous to the last session of the Legislature, through this system of "international exchanges," which have not been entered upon the schedule, but remain in the area of the State House, to which the attention of the Legislature is

respectfully and especially invited.

The undersigned cannot suffer this occasion to pass without expressing to the Legislature his unqualified belief of the impracticability of this system of exchanges as applied to this State. The State has been subjected to an annual expense of two hundred dollars for the salary of Mr. Vattemare, as well as an expense of several hundred dollars for books for exchanges, and expense of transportation, and in return have received a few unbound pamphlets in a foreign language, and a box of musty old books, which are undoubtedly the gleanings of some antiquarian bookstore. Legislature shall deem it proper to continue this system of exchanges, it is hoped an appropriate place will be designated in which to deposit these rare specimens of literary curiositv.

There have been added to the Library during the past year, seventy-one volumes, under the resolution of 1850, authorizing exchanges of Gilchrist's Digest and N. H. Reports for other works on law and history. A list of the books

received is annexed to this report.

A resolution was passed at the last session of the Legislature, under which the Secretary of State was "directed to employ some suitable person to arrange the census returns returned by the U. S. Marshal and his deputies for this State, and cause the same to be bound in such a manner as to make them convenient for future reference." David Watson, Esq., was employed under the foregoing resolution, and I am happy to say that he has succeeded admirably in arranging them

in a convenient form, and procured them bound in twentyone volumes, which, with an abstract of the census he prepared of the several towns in the State, with their population, number of houses, families, farms, productions and deaths, renders them very valuable and convenient for future reference. They have been deposited in the State Library.

The undersigned hopes that he may be pardoned for again urging upon the attention of the Legislature the situation of the Library. It is now increasing, and many valuable books are being added every succeeding year. In my report of last year, I took occasion to speak of the loss of books and the inconvenience of having the library room occupied by committees of the Legislature. The same reasons are still in force, and it is desirable to have the evil remedied.

JOHN L. HADLEY, State Librarian.

Secretary of State's Office, June 9, 1852.

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New Jersey, Halstead's Chancery Rep., vol. 2,	1 c	ору	, bound.
Laws of N. J., 1851,	2		"
Zabiskie's Reports, vol. 2,	1	"	"
United States, Annual Register, 1851,	1	"	"
List of Post Offices,	1	66	"
New York, Laws of 1850,	1	66	"
Senate Journal, "	1	"	"
" Documents, 1850, vols. 1, 2, 3,	3	66	"
Assembly Journal, "	1	"	"
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Natural Hist. of Botany, vols. 1 and 2	,		
part 2,	2	66	bound.
Agriculture by Emmons, vols. 1 and 2	,		
part 5,	2	66	"
Palacontology, by Hall, vol. 1, part 6,	1	"	"
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Reports, Iredell's, vol. 11,	1	"	
" Equity, vol. 7,	1	"	"
" Law, vol. 12,	1	66	"
Wisconsin, Acts and Resolves, 1851,	2	"	pamph.
Ohio, Laws of 1850-51,	1	66	bound.
Griswold's Reports, vol. 19,	1	66	16
Annual Report of Auditors, 1851,	1	66	pamph.
Indiana, Laws of 1850–51,	2	"	bound.
Massachusetts, Metcalf's Reports, vol. 13,	1	"	"
Cushing's Reports, vols. 1 and 2,	2	"	"
Arkansas, Laws of 1850-51,	2	66	pamph.
South Carolina, Laws of, Journal of Senate			
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Stobhart's Reports, Equity, vol. 3,	1	66	66
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Acts and Journals of Senate and House,			
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Libraries in United States,	1	"	pamph.
Delaware, Laws of 1851,	1	66	"
Pennsylvania, Laws of 1851,	1	"	"
Florida, Reports of,	1	"	. "
Rhode Island, Acts relating to Public Schools,	3	46	"
Laws from Oct. 1848, to Jan. 1851,	3	66	
Acts and Resolves, May Session, 1851,	1	66	"
Reports of R. I., vol. 1,	1	"	bound.
Report of Public Schools, 1852,	2	"	pamph.
Iowa, Code of Iowa, 1851,	2	"	bound.
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6	"	Life and Speeches of Daniel Webster,	14 00
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REPORT

OF THE COMMISSIONERS OF THE LITERARY FUND.

In obedience to the provisions of the Revised Statutes, the Commissioners of the Literary Fund respectfully submit to the Hon. Legislature the following

REPORT:

Cash on hand, being the proportion due several unincorporated places from former dividends, and not distributed,

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The amount paid into the treasury the present year by the several banking institutions, is fifteen thousand three hundred and eighty dollars.

Amoskeag Bank,	\$750 00
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Cheshire Bank,	500 00
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Connecticut River Bank,	450 00
Cochecho Bank,	500 00
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Dover Bank,	500 00
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